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"THE ONE PAPER IN MOST HOMES—THE ONLY PAPER IN MANY HOMES"

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WILL BUILD R. R.

Line From Skiston to Hickman, \$65,000 Raised and Terminals Secured. Road 30 Miles Long.

It begins to look like Hickman is to get a third railroad, regardless of our apparent indifference and lack of cooperation with the promoters of the project.

A special from Skiston, Mo., Saturday, says:

The Skiston Southern Railroad that will connect Skiston with Hickman, Ky., has taken shape. Last night at a banquet in Skiston, attended by thirty men from various parts of Southeast Missouri, the stockholders moved to organize and incorporate.

This road, first planned in 1908, was dropped the following year because of the panic. Plans of the road had already been completed then, the terminals had been bought, the right of way surveyed and most of it secured, and the line, plans and specifications made. Since then the organization has raised \$65,000, the money paid in has yielded an annual income of 15 per cent from the rentals of the terminals and right of way.

Agitation to build this road was begun about three months ago. M. H. Grosham, a former stockholder and promoter of the railroad, became interested. Subscriptions to build this railroad of only 30 miles length were taken up and \$11,000 was secured. Last night the amount jumped to \$65,000, and it is estimated that \$200,000 will build the road.

The road will run south and east from Skiston to East Prairie, and from thence straight to Hickman, Ky. This road will go through the richest area of land in Southeast Missouri and new land. A virgin forest of thousands of acres of cypress will be reached. It will further give better traveling facilities to the people of this section and lower the freight rates, a condition that the Scott County Milling Company has been attempting to remedy.

Edward H. Bowman, traffic manager of the milling company, the largest in Missouri, and one which sells its products in all southern states, spoke on the freight conditions in this section and the disadvantages all Southeast Missouri, save the towns on the river, were suffering.

"As an example of disadvantages," he said, "rates on grain from Skiston to all Mississippi river points is 10 cents per cwt. over rates from Cairo, Mo. To points in this territory known as the southwest and southeast, we are 5 cents per cwt. over Cairo, Mo. The former accepts from 3 to 6 cents per bushel less for its grain here than it is worth 25 miles east on the Mississippi river. The rates on merchandise force merchants here to ask more money or work on lower profit than their competitor 25 miles away."

"The traffic manager," said Bowman, in his talk, "of the government large line said that they will take the freight of wheat the railroads carry it for. Rail rates from Cairo to New Orleans is 12 1/2 cents per cwt. Therefore, the water rate is 10 cents per cwt. The large steamers will deliver all classes of merchandise for 80 per cent of all rail rates."

The meeting adjourned near midnight to be continued Monday night, when a board of directors will be chosen. Farmers in this country which has recently sprung into notice as the finest farming land and the best producing tract of corn and wheat in Missouri, are pushing the project that may result in making this discrimination in freight rates cease. The Scott County Milling Company is urging that something be done because, with its immense business of over \$10,000,000 a year, the rail rates are hurting it and the farming interests in this country. That company is even threatening to equip a fleet of trucks to haul its freight to the river if something is not done to lower the rates, which makes a farmer lose from 3 to 6 cents a bushel on every bushel raised. It is either build the railroad, open the White ditch, or build concrete roads and use trucks, the business interests in this section have concluded. The organization Monday will make definite plans for the selling of stock, joining the railroads at Hickman, and beginning the work.

NEW STORE OPEN

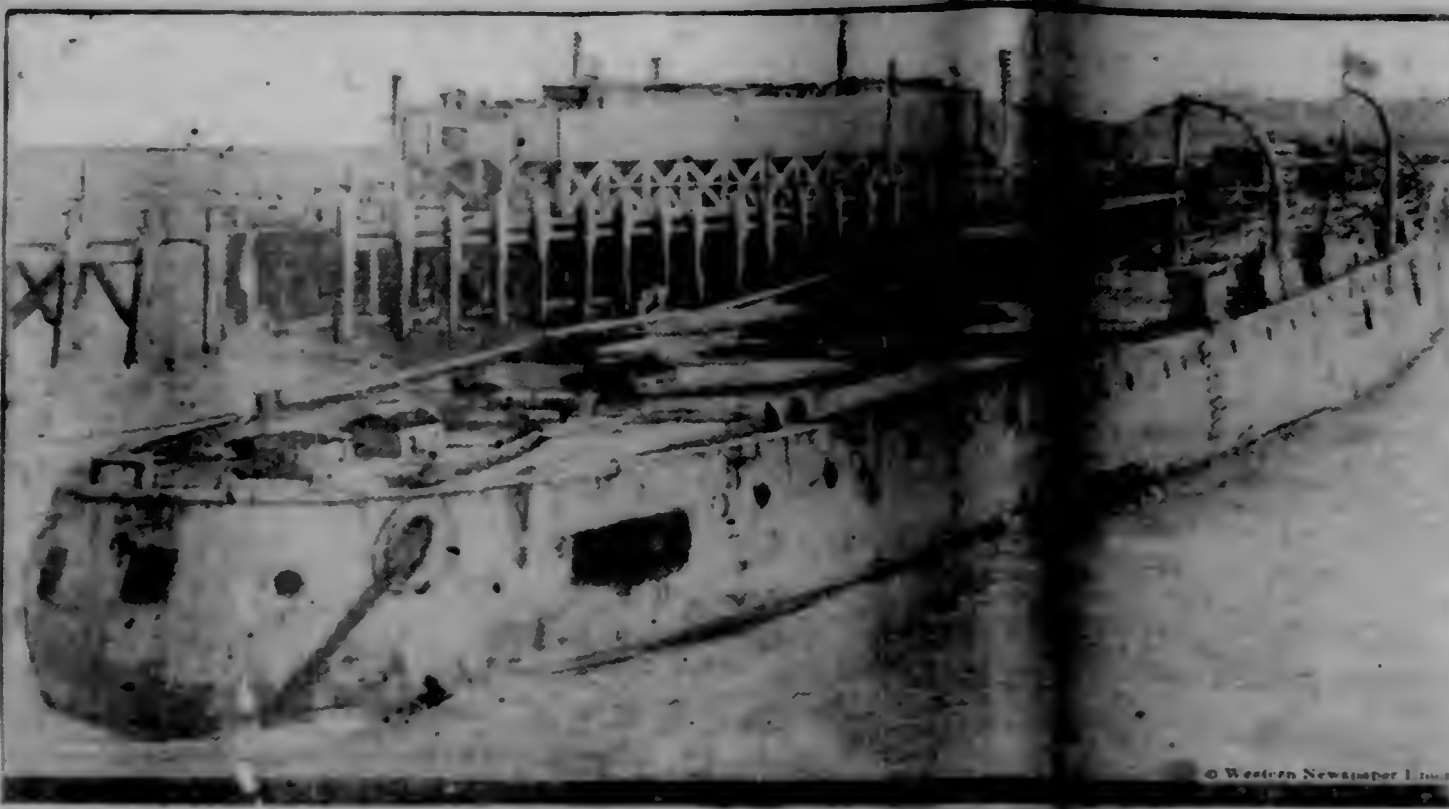
L. Goldberg, of Nashville, opened his new store in one of the Montgomery buildings on Clinton street, this week, and is about ready for business. His stock, composed of ready-to-wear, shoes, furnishings, etc., arrived Monday morning. He will be assisted in his business by Abe Garthick, also of Nashville.

L. C. Lunsford was displaying a live, chirping, healthy four-legged chicken here last Friday. It used only two of the legs, however, the extra being attached to the posterior anatomy. This would be a good variety to have in communities of strong Methodist persuasion—if all they say about Methodist preachers is true.

Otis Williams, one of the first soldier boys to leave Hickman for Camp Taylor and among the first to go overseas, is home again, having received his discharge. He is looking big and fine—looks like a 180 pounds big.

Miss Gretha Bentall has been elected to teach the summer term of school at Crystal, Tenn., beginning the first week in July.

H. M. S. VINDICTIVE IN OSTEND HARBOR ENTRANCE



This ship with its gallant crew ascended the world by its remarkable feat of bottling up the former U-boat base at Ostend. The Vindictive was run into the entrance to the mole and sunk.



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CLARENCE KIMES HOME.

Clarence Kimes, one of our soldier boys, who bears the scars of German bullets on the arm, breast and one leg, and was finally captured by the Hun, is home again. Although severely wounded and pit out of the fighting, he has recovered and is in no wise incapacitated. He was one of 15 American boys bagged by the Germans in one of the big drives and landed in the prison camp. He says the Germans treated him alright—in fact fine—but that the food and medical attention was nothing to brag about.

Young Kimes is a son of Harry Kimes, formerly of Hickman. He was here last week visiting his brother, Harvey.

W. J. Shaw, the contractor, has started work on a five-room bungalow for Mrs. P. B. Curlin, on Troy avenue. Mrs. Curlin's home was destroyed by fire last year, and she has since been residing at Union City.

JUDGE FINED \$1000.

Judge William Henderson, county judge of Ballard county, was tried in circuit court at Wickliffe last week on a charge of obstructing justice and found guilty by a jury and a fine of one thousand dollars assessed against him. Judge Henderson is said to disclaim any intention of being guilty of the offense charged up to him, and will take an appeal to the higher courts, we understand. The offense came out of a case in which Judge Henderson was the attorney for one of the parties.—Carroll County News.

Some wise political guy observes that socialism is about to take over policies of both the big parties. Is that so?

Boosting Hickman won't make it grow, but it will help. Get busy. Alvin Mabry visited in Bardwell last week.

CONCRETE CARS.

A gondola freight car with a body made entirely of reinforced concrete, is now in actual railway service. The finished car, first of its kind, was ceremoniously delivered by its designers to the Illinois Central Railroad on March 17. It was immediately started on a trial trip over the lines of the system, and for 30 days will encounter all the normal uses and abuses of the hard-working gondola-type car. At the end of that period it will be turned over to the United States Railroad Administration, which will thereafter dictate its use and service. While the model now in service has a solid body for the sake of simplicity, the principles of the design indicate ready modification into the dump-car type for subsequent production.

Judge A. T. Hobbs & Sons, who have been operating the Arlington Roller Mills for the past several years, have sold out to J. C. Ford.

GERMAN SUBMARINE.

Will Get to Hickman in June, Is Due at Mobile on May 28, Goes Up as Far as St. Louis.

The library of the U.S.S. one of the five surrendered German submarines which recently arrived in this country to be used during the Victory Loan campaign, was announced Saturday by the navy department. The commander of the vessel has been instructed to cooperate with civic authorities and committees of Victory Loan workers in each of the cities visited.

The submarine escorted by the coast guard cutter Tuscarora, will leave New York, May 5, arriving at Savannah, Ga., May 9. After staying three days at Savannah, the submarine will go to Jacksonville, arriving May 12. Leaving Jacksonville May 15, the boat should reach Key West May 17. It will remain at Key West two days before going to Tampa for two days. The next port of call will be Pensacola, where it is due May 25th.

The submarine will then proceed to Mobile, arriving May 28, and when ready will start on a cruise up the Mississippi river as far as St. Louis, or as its draft safely permits, stopping at principal towns along the river.

After rounding down the Mississippi the submarine will proceed to Galveston, Texas, and thence, when ready, to San Diego, Cal., via the Panama Canal.

Judging from the plan to visit all the principal towns along the river while enroute, it would probably be around the middle of June before the sub could reach Hickman.

LUXURY TAX.

Many Commodities Affected by New Measure, now in Force.

Another blow at the pocketbook of the spender was felt Tuesday last, when the new "luxury tax" went into effect. This tax was calculated to catch about everything that was not already taxed, and will be of general interest. Like all taxes, it hits the final consumer.

A big tax is imposed equivalent to one per cent of the price for any of the articles listed below in excess of the prices specified as to each of the articles as follows:

- (1) Carpets and rugs including other, except imported and American-made, made principally of wool, on the amount in excess of \$5 per square yard.
- (2) Picture frames on the amount in excess of \$10 each.
- (3) Trunks on the amount in excess of \$50 each.
- (4) Valises, traveling bags, suit cases, hat boxes, used by travelers and fitted toilet cases, on the amount in excess of \$25 each.
- (5) Purse, pocketbooks, shopping bags and handbags on the amount in excess of \$7.50 each.
- (6) Portable lighting fixtures, including lamps of all kinds and lamp shades, on the amount in excess of \$25 each.
- (7) Umbrellas, parasols and sun shades, on the amount in excess of \$4 each.
- (8) Fans on the amount in excess of \$1 each.
- (9) House or smoking coats of jackets, and bath or lounging robes on the amount in excess of \$7.50 each.
- (10) Men's waistcoats, sold separately from suits on the amount in excess of \$5 each.
- (11) Women's and Misses' hats, bonnets and hoods on the amount in excess of \$15 each.
- (12) Men's and boys' hats, on the amount in excess of \$5 each.
- (13) Men's women's and children's boots, pumps and slippers not including shoes and appliances made to order for any person having a crippled or deformed foot or ankle, on the amount in excess of \$10 per pair.
- (14) Men's and boys' neckties and neckwear, on the amount in excess of \$2 each.
- (15) Men's and boys' silk stockings or hose, on the amount in excess of \$2 per pair.
- (16) Men's shirts on the amount in excess of \$3 each.
- (17) Men's, women's, misses' and boys' pajamas, night gowns and underwear, on the amount in excess of \$5 each.
- (18) Kimonos, petticoats and waists on the amount in excess of \$15 each.

These taxes do not apply to any articles enumerated in paragraphs 2 to 8 inclusive if such article is made of or ornamented, mounted or fitted with precious metals or imitation thereof or ivory as a tax is levied upon articles so ornamented equivalent to 5 per cent of the price at which they are sold for consumption or use.

Further, these taxes do not apply to any article enumerated above made of fur on the hide or pelt or of which any such fur is in the component material of chief value, nor do these taxes apply to liveries or heavy boots and hats, hunting and shooting garments and riding habits, as a tax is paid on all such articles equivalent to 10 per cent of the price at which they are sold by the manufacturer, producer or importer thereof.

State Superintendent Gilbert is preparing to file an agreed suit against the auditor for the appointment share of nearly a million dollars inheritance taxes to the school fund.

NOTHING DEFINITE.

Promoters Cannot Say Now What Terminal Plans Will Be as Regards New Ry. and Hickman.

Mayor Carrington wrote the Charleston-Hickman railroad promoters regarding their plans regarding terminals at Hickman; whether it was their plan to have the terminals proper on the Kentucky or Missouri side of the river. While the scene of activity has shifted from Charleston to Skiston, the latter taking up where the former left off, the Charleston people stated that nothing definite could be said regarding terminals at the time. There is doubtless no change in the status quo. In part the letter reads:

"I had anticipated your question regarding the possible terminals of the road, but am unable to say at this time definitely whether our line will operate into Hickman or whether our terminals will be on the Missouri side of the river."

"Our company has taken this matter up with officials of the Nashville, Chattanooga & St. Louis and also with the Illinois Central Railroad, and if we can secure an arrangement with either of these lines whereby a car-transfer service can be put in, our plan is to operate into Hickman. If, on the other hand, these roads are unable to assist us in this arrangement, I do not believe it would be possible for a short-line road, such as ours would be, to finance a transfer service. We have found on investigation that a car-transfer is an expensive proposition, and that, unless there is some assurance of enough through traffic to maintain the service, it will inevitably result in a big loss to a railroad. I am sure, however, that if the two roads mentioned will join us in this, that traffic arrangements can be made such as will take care of this expense, and I will be glad to notify you as to the results of our correspondence with them."

"I might add, in this connection, our project has met with some encouragement and promised assistance from the Missouri Pacific Railroad, and I assume that, should this company lease our lines when completed, they plan to operate a transfer service at Hickman. However, our people are much more interested in a possible connection with some other road than they are in the Missouri Pacific proposal."

"We expect to have something definite regarding the proposed railroad to present to your people for their consideration within the next week or two, and we shall also at that time be able to answer the question as to your satisfaction."

BOY WALLACE HELD.

Is Charged With Having Killed Geo. Grooms on Reelfoot.

The Courier stated briefly last week that the body of George Grooms had been found in Reelfoot Lake and the body bore marks indicating foul play. We clip from the Union City News-Banner the following, which throws further light on the affair:

Boy Wallace charged with the murder of G. W. Grooms, on trial at Tiptonville last Wednesday, was placed in jail on default of making bond. Last Sunday Boy borrowed a boat from John Cochran, and both when he left and when he returned refused to give any account of what he was doing. Mr. Cochran noticed blood and hair on the boat when he returned. Rufe Roney and Will Raley saw him punching round in the water as if shoving something down. This was before the murder of Grooms was known. Boy had asked for credit at the store at Samburg Friday. Saturday afternoon he was paying his debts and spending water-soaked money. When Grooms was missed and Boy had disappeared, Roney and Raley told what they had seen and went right to the spot where Boy had been punching in the water and there the body was found with the back of the head shot off.

HOME-GROWN BERRIES.

J. H. Langford, the strawberry king of Fulton county, opened the short-cake season here Friday, by placing on the market the first home-grown berries. He was followed, as a close second by H. H. Harding, who delivered berries Saturday.

The berries this year are of fine quality and prospects are good for an abundant yield. Mr. Langford sold his first lot at 25c a box, but the price is some less now.

London, April 28.—A beautiful gold cigarette to contain the certificate of the freedom of the city of London—to be presented to President Wilson—is now on view at Guild Hall. It is of 18 karat gold, with portraits of King George and Mr. Wilson, and figures representing Britain and Liberty.

Our venerable groceryman, F. E. Case, has moved his stock of goods into the Montgomery building temporarily, while a concrete floor is being put in his building. He didn't know what a large stock he had until he tackled the job of moving.

Mrs. Maggie Randle and granddaughter, Margaret Luton, of Fulton, were the week-end guests of F. T. Randle and wife.

Fred Oleott and wife and Mrs. Clarence Weatherpoon, of Fulton, spent Friday in Hickman.

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In wholesale lots only.

Let me figure with you.

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HICKMAN, : : KENTUCKY

WILLIS AMBUSHED.

Alfred Willis Has Side of Face Shot Off While Sitting in His Home Saturday Night.

One of the most cowardly and cold-blooded attempts at assassination recorded in Fulton county occurred Saturday night, some 12 miles west of Hickman, at Mabel, when some one sneaked up to a window of the home of Alfred Willis and fired the contents of a shotgun at the man's head; then hurried away, thinking, doubtless, that Willis' head had been blown off. Such would have been the result had the would-be assassin's aim been true. However, he succeeded in inflicting a wound that may prove fatal.

Mr. Willis was sitting with his back to the window, assisting his little daughter with her lessons. Just after dark, when the tragedy occurred. The monster with the gun must have been within at least ten feet of his victim. He fired through the window glass, the charge taking effect in the left side of Willis' face, tearing away the cheek, part of the lower jaw and scattering his teeth on the floor.

The unfortunate man was rushed to Dyersburg for treatment, and it was found that he had a fighting chance to live, although his wounds are of a most serious nature and exceedingly painful.

Alfred Willis is a highly respected farmer of the lower bottom, having been in that section all of his life. He is about 42 years old and was making a crop this year on W. C. Tipton's farm.

While no arrests have been made at this time, friends of the wounded man got busy and are assisting the officers in following a clue that will doubtless bring the criminal to justice. The suspect is being closely watched in the meantime.

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Bulls at wholesale prices—Finest Red Bronze Cinnas \$1.50 per dozen. Grow 4 to 6 feet tall, beautiful red blossoms. Postage prepaid. No finer Cinnas grown—R. S. Williams, Fulton, Ky.

Nice Building Lot For Sale, in Southern Heights. One of the choice lots of the addition. Size 62½ x 150 feet. Concrete walks, electric light, telephone, water, sewer at front of lot. If interested call at this office.

Miss Lawrence How is assisting her mother, R. E. How, in the C. M. & U. She arrived last week from Alabama.

"Up and Days," Thursday and Friday were not altogether successful, but much good was accomplished as a result.

Attention Automobile Tourists!!!!



These beautiful spring days will make motor-ing very popular. While enjoying your out-ing, stop at our store for refreshments. We have an excellent fountain and serve all the up-to-date beverages.

We are also agents for Nunnally's Candies. Our stock of Toilet Goods is very complete and we make a specialty of trade-marked, advertised goods. When you need such goods as

Photo Supplies, Kodaks, Candies, B.

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drive around to our store and get the best quality of goods at right prices.

Discriminating Ladies use our Nyal's Cream to protect their Complexion against Sun and Wind.

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7:00 A. M. and 4:00 P. M.
Leave Hickman
9:00 A. M. and 6:00 P. M.

J. E. BOAZ

Fulton Phone 493
Hickman Phone 29

6-5p.

Am taking orders now for Sweet Potato Plants, making deliveries each Saturday. Will take orders on Saturday afternoon at Reid Bros' store. Price \$2.00 per thousand. Will appreciate your orders. Plants in fine condition. Also taking orders for Sweet Pepper and Tomato Plants. Deliver these via parcel post.—Miss Frankye Reid.

"A Game of Hearts," Sylvan Shade, Thursday night, May 15. Don't miss it.

Courier for three months, 40c.

STRONG CANDIDATE.

B. T. Davis, of Hickman, was in town Tuesday and called at this office to leave the announcement of his candidacy for State Senator. The announcement does not come as a surprise to his friends in this county who have known for some time that he was urged to make the race.

Mr. Davis will make a strong candidate, being almost as well known in this as in his own county. He is one of the leading lawyers of Hickman, and a successful farmer. He takes an active part in all progressive movements. His stand is taken on all public questions only after both sides of the question have been carefully considered, then once having made up his mind, nothing can shake his conviction.

Although Mr. Davis is not eloquent on the subject, we know that he favors suffrage which should make him popular with the women without whose influence few men can be elected to any office. If the Gazette were not unqualifiedly for B. T. Davis, of this place, for Senator, we would consider the choice to that office by Mr. Davis.—Clifton Gazette.

Capt. John Hottel was in town last week on business.

Chesler Park, returned from New Mexico, M.

INJURED BY AUTOMOBILE.

Ruby Yarboro, the seven-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Yarboro, of Halls, Tenn., was run down and perhaps fatally injured by an automobile driven by Buck Tharp, a negro, at Fulton Sunday night.

She has been making her home during the school year with her aunt, Mrs. Guitman Moss, in South Fulton, attending the South Fulton School.

The negro is employed by Maywood Williams on his farm near Fulton. He was arrested, but later released under bond to appear for trial in court there today.

A number of the members of the Christian church attended a convention of the denomination at Paducah Tuesday and Wednesday. A similar convention of the churches in West Tennessee was held at Union City Tuesday and Wednesday.

Fred Stokes, of Water Valley, was a Hickman visitor Friday.

PILOT LOST BEARING.

Hickman and Fulton were promised an airplane to stimulate interest in the sale of Victory bonds on Saturday, April 26, but the machine failed to come. We have just learned the cause—Lieut. Storzler and J. R. Sullivan, driving the big Curris machine, lost their bearing and landed at Springfield, Tenn. Cloudy weather was assigned as the reason of their mishap—although it was clear here.

The good people of Springfield had never before seen an airplane and are still talking about the strange critter so after all the efforts of the aviators were not in vain.

Another attempt will be made to send a machine to this county in a short time.

At Fulton City gasoline retails for 25c, while at Hickman it is 28c, although we have more favorable freight rates. The only reason for this, to our way of thinking, is because the Standard Oil has an apparent monopoly on the business. Competition would doubtless serve the double purpose of reducing the price and getting a better grade of oil.

Wire fence anchors for sale at Bettersworth's.

About two weeks until school closes.

FALL FRACTURES LEG.

While riding a young horse, Sunday, Geo. Newton sustained a fractured leg, about the left ankle, when the animal fell on him. He is getting along all right, but it will be some time before he is able to walk without the aid of a crutch.

If you like coffee—get the best. Chase & Sanborn's is as good as ever came to Hickman. Try it.—Bondurant Bros.

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Solo Organist at all of the Largest Expositions in the United States; also played before many of the Crown Heads of Europe. This will be the greatest musical treat ever offered the people of Union City and Neighboring Towns. He comes to make final test of the \$6000.00. Three Manual Organ purchased by the Woman's Missionary Society of the M. E. Church.

Union City, Three Recitals, May 8th and 9th, 8:30 P. M. Sunday, May 11th, At 3:00 P. M.

A Free Will Offering will be taken at each Recital to defray expenses. Thos. A. Edison has made it possible to re-create the human voice with his wonderful Diamond Disc Phonograph. If you want one in your home, so you can bring the great artists into your home we can make it possible. Come to the recital; and if interested in a Real Phonograph all in a class to itself, write, Telephone or Call on **CHAS. DIETZEL, Edison Dealer, Union City, Tenn.**

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For a hog to be profitable he must be kept growing from birth to marketing age. He cannot be profitable unless he is healthy. He can always be in a profit-producing condition if he is fed B. A. Thomas' Hog Powder. We positively tell you that this remedy prevents cholera, removes worms and cures thumps. If the powder does not make good, we will.—F. E. Case, Adv.

Lieut. I. B. Alexander, wife and baby, of McKenle, were guests of Rev. R. C. Doughless and family last week. Lieut. Alexander saw 11 months service in France, a good portion of the time in the front line trenches. He was an infantry officer.

Nothing too large or too small for me to build. Stucco bungalows a specialty.—W. J. Shaw.

The wheat crop in Fulton county only promises to be one of the best ever, but seems earlier than usual, many fields being "headed out." According to our friend, Julian Thout, this does not indicate an earlier harvest, but that you may average, as usual, to cut wheat on June 5th, and you will not miss it a week one way or the other.

Mrs. Pearl Clark, of Chicago, and Mrs. Margaret Washburn, of Fort Smith, Ark., are visiting their mother, Mrs. T. A. Stark. Mrs. Stark is improving after a severe illness.

Every farm home should have the Almo lighting system. Gives you electric lights, fans, motors, etc. See me if interested.—W. J. Shaw.

Mrs. John McWhann and baby, of Secoda, Miss., have been visiting her mother, Mrs. Sybil Cavitt, for several days.



THE QUINCY MANSION, QUINCY, MASS., BUILT IN 1685.

America's classic example of a clapnet building preserved for over two hundred years by careful and frequent painting. It has secret panels, chimney staircase and hiding places, said to have been used by smugglers. Later the home of great statesmen and of the famous belle, Dorothy Quincy.

LOOKING BACKWARD.

Historical Data of Pioneer Days in Hickman and Fulton County: Facts and Traditions Acent the Hundredth Anniversary of Hickman.

—Compiled by Judge B. T. Davis.

I have always been interested in historical reminiscence but did not think when I suggested that this paper devote a column to the early history of Hickman that it would be called my column. I am compelled to invite the assistance of everyone in order to keep this column going.

Many of these historical incidents can only be verified by public discussion and if an error should appear in the column a correction will be made gladly.

I have always wondered what was the particular incident which gave the name of Hickman. I have learned since the last publication that this name was given by W. L. Marr, who owned the land upon which Hickman was built, in honor of the maiden name of his wife. It would be interesting now to know if she was a relative of the Capt. Presnell Hickman, an American soldier who was killed in the battle of the River Balshu. The county of Hickman was named in honor of him.

Another question that I would present to the school boys and girls is this: "Is there a grave of a Revolutionary soldier in Fulton county?" I remember hearing that two revolutionary soldiers were buried in Fulton county but I am unable to get information as to their names.

The United States Government in gratitude to the soldiers who served in the Revolutionary war gave to them the right to enter and take up the public lands. A private soldier had the right to enter one thousand acres. The officers were entitled to more. George Washington received immense grants of lands in Pennsylvania and Ohio and was the largest land owner in the United States. I have heard it said that he was the only millionaire in the United States in his day. General George Rogers Clark entered and patented an immense body of land, about 100,000 acres, west of the Tennessee

river near Paducah. From the records it would appear that two Revolutionary soldiers entered lands in Fulton county.

There are two military surveys in Fulton county. These were entered by Revolutionary soldiers or else some one to whom their warrants had been assigned. A military survey was usually in the form of a square four hundred poles on each side. Just above the mouth of Bayou de Chen is what is known as the Bazil Prather survey. This survey was entered in the name of Robert Bashears but was patented to Bazil Prather. Probably Robert Bashears was a soldier of the Revolutionary war. The other military survey in Fulton county is located on the state line and the Dresden road and is described as being twenty miles due south of Columbus and is known as the Isaac Miller survey. This Isaac Miller is an ancestor of the Prather and Coghill families. He was a soldier in the Revolutionary war.

COLDS AFFECT THE KIDNEYS

Many Hickman People Have Found This to be True.

Are you wretched in bad weather? Does every cold settle in your kidneys?

Does your back ache and become weak?

Are urinary passages irregular and distressing?

These symptoms are cause to suspect kidney weakness.

Weakened kidneys need quick help. Doan's Kidney Pills are especially prepared for weakened kidneys.

Hickman people recommend them. Mrs. Core Guffin, 301 Broadway, Hickman, says: "I used Doan's Kidney Pills when my kidneys were out of order and when my back pained. The trouble, I think, was caused by catching cold and over-working about the house. When I was troubled in this way, Doan's Kidney Pills gave me quick relief. I know they are a good, reliable medicine and worthy of praise."

Price 60c. at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Guffin had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfgs., Buffalo, N. Y. Adv.

Practically every teacher in the county who intends to teach in our county schools after the first of next July, will be required to stand an examination in Agriculture. This is a requirement under the new law of the State.

Bulls at wholesale prices—Finest Red Bronze Canons \$1.50 per dozen. Grow 4 to 6 feet tall, beautiful red blossoms. Postage prepaid. No inner Canons grown.—R. S. Williams, Fulton, Ky.

Tax Commissioner Coffey tells us that his son, Frank, is currently home from France. Frank was a member of the Engineering Corps.

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HICKMAN, KENTUCKY

WARD-WRIGHT.

Miss Grace Ward and Will J. Wright were united in marriage by "Squire McBride" at his home in Fulton county, Sunday afternoon. The wedding was in the nature of a surprise to the many friends of these popular young people. The bride is the daughter of P. C. Ward and wife, who for many years was proprietor of the hotel at Walnut Log and is well known by a number of Hickman people.

The groom is a prosperous farmer of Fulton county. His father is station agent for the L. C. at Hives, but he was reared by his uncle in the Proteans section.

The Courier extends congratulations.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and for years it was supposed to be incurable. Doctors prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Medicine, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is a constitutional remedy, is taken internally and acts thru the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System. One Hundred Dollars reward is offered for any case that Hall's Catarrh Medicine fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by Druggists, 75c. Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

L. N. Gregory has started work on a new Brown bungalow for City Clerk and Banker J. H. Pyle. This will be on the Buchanan lot, southeast of the county jail.

J. M. Ezell, one of our progressive bottom planters, has purchased a Fordson tractor. He has a lot of wheat to harvest and he figures on pulling the binder with the "iron mule," as well as general farm work.

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Mrs. Ruby Bantich returned to her home in Dubuque, Iowa, last week, after a visit to her mother, Mrs. T. A. Stark.

Miss Lulu Mary Doughless left Friday for a visit in Paris and McKenle, Tenn.

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HIGHEST QUALITY AWARDS



W. P. Skinner, of the Wilson-Hale Wholesale Grocery Co., is in New Orleans this week attending a convention of wholesale grocers.

See the comedy-drama at Sylvan Shade school house, Thursday night, May 15th.

The city didn't set a very healthy example in the clean-up crusade here last week.

Mrs. R. E. Blow and little daughter have returned from a visit in Louisiana.

For Sale: Brown Leghorn eggs \$1.00 per setting.—Mrs. C. J. Sarrett. 7-1c

A heavy rain fell in the vicinity of Jordan Monday afternoon.

See Betterworth for anything you need.

First Methodist Messenger

—R. C. Douglass, Editor—

GET READY FOR THE BIG DRIVE

May 18, Beginning 10: a. m.

In Nashville the other day, at a luncheon given in honor of Harry Lauder, there was a little episode which was beautiful. The many guests had begun to eat when Harry Lauder, who sat at the head of the table, earnestly said: "Is there no minister present to offer a short prayer or say grace? Let us have a grace." His request was granted.

Harry Lauder said at the luncheon: "As I knelt at my boy's grave (he was killed in action) I did not feel like calling him back. I only wished to reach down through the soil of that grave and find the body of my boy and throw my arms about him and say: 'O, lad, your mother and father are proud of you.'"

The following poem by Vida Savage Owens voiced the true heart of every genuine christian patriot in the world:

"There's a grave out there in France, In a shell-torn field of France, With a little cross upon it, And my little's name is on it: And his little's name is on it: It's all of him I have! Diana fears that I'll be greeting, That no more on earth we're meeting, And the days are long in fleeting, When your heart is in a grave. But I mind the words he sent me, That my soldier little sent me: 'Carry on, father, dear; carry on!'"

CARRY ON.

Yes, that is the mounding of all the sacrifices our boys have made and of the victory they won. Every boy that crossed the seas was a hero. This great war was the forerunner so to speak, clearing the track and opening the way for the mighty army of the church of God to carry on and make the world safe for the democracies for which our boys fought and died to make safe for the world.

God, through our armed armies, has torn the old world down, because it was built wrong, and now calls on you and me to rebuild it according to the plan and specifications of the Master-builder. Can you not see how plain it all is? You are not a SLACKER, are you? The Centenary Call is a call to

WORLD PATRIOTISM.

Oscar Salmon has returned from St. Charles, Ark., where he has been for the past six weeks on business for the Mangel Box Company.

Mrs. H. L. Amberg has been visiting her sister, Mrs. C. F. Baltzer, in Clarksville, Miss., for the past week.

Farmers have begun to harvest their first cutting of alfalfa this week. The yield promises to be good.

For Rent: Entire shed or space in first building shed east of my office.—W. A. Dohds.

Buy Caramations for Mother's Day, Sunday, May 11th.—Miss Frankie Reid.

Announcements:

The Centenary Cabinet and the two Teams will meet Saturday, 8:30 p. m. This is on May 9. Let no one be absent. CO-OPERATION is the only means by which we can succeed.

Our organization is about complete. The cabinet is composed of the Director-General, the Captains of teams, the S. S. Sup't., the chairman of the official board, chairman of Minute Men, Pres. W. M. S., Pres. Epworth League and the pastor. There are two teams—one of women and one of men. These teams are composed of twenty-four members of the church. They will go two and two and make an every-member canvass of the members and the friends of the church on May 18.

The Cabinet, together with the teams, has decided to enter the contest for the distinction of being the first congregation in the Memphis Conference and the first in all Southern Methodism to go over the top. We can do it. How? By CO-OPERATION.

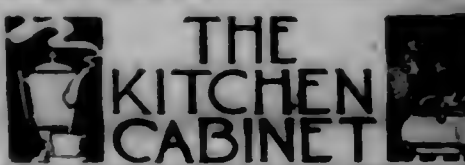
The service for next Sunday morning is a very important one. The pastor is almost ready to BEG his people to be at church next Sunday morning, the 11th. He does earnestly plead with every individual member to be present. If at all possible, it means success and happiness to CO-OPERATE.

Next Sunday morning the pastor will announce the changes in our Standard Program that is necessitated by the fact that our Commencement sermon comes on the morning of the 18th of May. We are put to a very serious disadvantage by this fact, but if our friends will CO-OPERATE we can offset this disadvantage by a wise readjustment.

One readjustment is, that we will have our service on the 18th at 10 a. m. and disband at 10:45 to go to the Commencement service. We certainly need that our members and friends should appreciate our situation and thereby assist us in overcoming the disadvantage to which we are put.

The latest—Four men of our church have volunteered a pledge of one thousand dollars each to the Centenary. The pastor is looking for one member who will cover the pledge of the four and head the honor roll. Let's win the silk banner that is to be awarded the first church to go over the top.

An Episcopalian arose in a Centenary meeting the other day and volunteered a thousand. A Texas hustler, not in any church, volunteered five thousand.



If a man finds himself with bread in both hands, he should exchange one loaf for some flowers of the narcissus, since the loaf feeds the body indeed, but the flowers feed the soul.—Mahomet.

FOOD FOR SPECIAL OCCASIONS.

Fortunately we are not all alike in our tastes. Foods of which one is especially fond will not be at all acceptable to his neighbor.

This diversity of tastes gives us many dishes, and he is indeed hard to suit who cannot find some to his liking.

Royal Sandwiches.—Mix a half-cupful of almonds, season with salt and red pepper, add two tablespoonfuls of chopped pickles, one tablespoonful of Worcestershire sauce and one tablespoonful of chutney. Spread the bread with cream cheese, and sprinkle with the almond mixture, finely chopped. Salted crackers may be used in place of bread.

Windsor Sandwiches.—Cream a cupful of chopped ham with two-thirds of a cupful of chopped chicken; when well blended season with paprika, salt and spread on buttered white bread.

Cheese and Pepper Sandwiches.—Mash a small cream cheese, season well, add enough thick cream to make of the right consistency. Season with red pepper and salt, add a finely shredded green pepper, mix well and spread on buttered rounds of white bread.

Olive Sandwiches.—Chop fine and pound to a pulp a dozen olives and a half-cupful of crisp celery. Add an eighth of a teaspoonful of made mustard, one teaspoonful of catsup, two tablespoonfuls of cracker crumbs rubbed very fine and a cupful of mayonnaise.

Devilled Ham.—Chop fine one pint of boiled ham, a large part fat; add six hard-cooked eggs, one teaspoonful of mustard, the prepared kind. Mix and press into a mold. This will keep for weeks, and makes a fine sandwich filling.

Stuffed Baked Apples.—Core good-sized apples and fill the centers with raisins, sugar, cinnamon and bits of butter. Bake with water during the baking.

The tender hearts of celery, if surrounded by chopped ice and served, make a most delicious accompaniment to the meat course.

Nellie Maxwell

I handle good roofing at right prices.—W. J. Shaw.

Mrs. Reece Vinson and children went to Dexter, Tenn., last week to visit her brother, J. T. Crosby.

W. T. BONDURANT & SON

REAL ESTATE & INSURANCE

We have quite a lot of good farms still on our list for sale, small ones, large ones, and in every direction from town; but we haven't as many as we need, so if you have a farm that you will sell it would pay you to see us. We also have several houses in town to sell.

We also have twenty-four head of fine registered Red Polled cattle to sell, as fine as you ever saw. We will sell them all in one lot or as many of them as you want.

Also a good black mule 5-year-old, 15 3-4 hands high, sound and will work any place.

If you are interested in anything we have on our lists we would be glad to drive you around and show you.

WILL CELEBRATE.

Hickman's 100th Anniversary to be Fittingly Observed—Week of July 11-19. Committee Named.

Hickman is to celebrate her 100th anniversary this year. The interesting thing will hang out—and on every door-mat will be the word "Welcome." This town is big enough, old enough, hospitable enough, progressive enough to make it a gala week; a homecoming event worth while; six big days of wholesome entertainment with a program that will be enjoyed by old and young.

Mayor Caruthers, after sending public sentiment and flooding everyone heartily in favor of the undertaking, has taken the first step by appointing

a general committee on arrangements composed of Henry L. Anderson, W. A. Johnston, Henry L. Heim, Dr. J. M. Hubbard and City Atty. S. B. Stenbridge. These gentlemen in turn, will name such committees as they deem necessary to assist them with the work before them.

The Mayor and the Council took the liberty to ascertain the Redpath Entertainment dates for Hickman to learn if they might be made conform to our proposed celebration. The Entertainment will open here on Wednesday, July 10th and continue five days. As this will be a very suitable season, also, for the celebration, Mayor Caruthers designated the week of July 11-19 inclusive, for our big week. Obviously, the entertainment will furnish good, clean, wholesome entertainment afternoon and night, and will be a fine supplement to the program to be worked out locally. This will be done talked in on four days

of the week. It is barely possible that the German undersea boat, the U-88, which is now arranging for a trip to St. Louis, can be gotten here on exhibition. It will doubtless go up during June and it may be possible to have it tie up here on the return trip.

In due time, the Courier will announce the features as worked out by the committee.

The Quinine That Does Not Affect the Head Be sure of its tonic and laxative effect, LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE is better than ordinary Quinine and does not cause nervousness nor ringing in head. Remember the full name and look for the signature of E. W. GROVE, JR.

City Attorney S. B. Stenbridge is driving a new Oakland car.

All kinds of fresh canned goods at Betterworth's. You can get Welch's Grape Juice from Bondurant Bros.



Is Your Car Built or Just Put Together?

There's a lot of difference in results between the two methods. A car that is put together from the products of a score or more of parts-makers represents just that many standards of construction, no two of which are likely to be exactly the same.

Briscoe cars are 99% built in Briscoe plants. Briscoe engineers not only design the car, but they stand guard over every process of manufacture, and see that it is up to Briscoe requirements.

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OLDHAM'S VICTORY SEEMS CERTAIN

PRESS OF STATE PRAISES YOUNG
 WINCHESTER CANDIDATE FOR
 LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR.



That R. C. Oldham's candidacy for the Democratic nomination for Lieutenant Governor has been favorably received there is no doubt. His campaign has been conducted in a progressive spirit and a determination to win. His friends have formed such a C. Oldham Club to further his interests. The state press comments very favorably upon his candidacy.

"Col. Oldham is one of the most active young Democrats in the state. During many campaigns he has always been in the very heart of the contest in the interest of the Democratic nominees. It is our policy to refrain from committing ourselves in primary elections, but it is our purpose to support Col. Oldham throughout this campaign, believing that this sturdy young Democrat, if chosen, will fulfill every pledge in his platform and serve the constituency with honor and credit."—Daily Democrat.

"Oldham is a young man of sterling qualities and will do his duty as a public servant. We would like to see him elected to this office for we believe that he will serve the people of the state in a way that will cause no regret for having seen him this honor."—Kwint Enquirer.

"The Journal of Labor can not fail to support a man who openly declares for such principles. We ask no favors of Mr. Oldham but wish he were a candidate for Governor. He is a clean, honest and able young man, who is conducting a remarkable campaign. As he says, 'He has his hands in his own pockets—not the taxpayers.' There is no question but that Mr. Oldham will receive the votes of the wage-earners of Kentucky. Here's to you, Oldham; we believe that your principles will not only make you Lieutenant Governor, but carry you to the Governor's chair."—Journal of Labor.

"Oldham has shown himself to be conscientious in the discharge of responsibilities that devolved upon him, red blooded, patriotic and unswerving in integrity. He is above narrow, factional politics and holds a public office far above a salaried consideration. This brilliant young Democrat is offering his services to the people in the prime of vigorous young manhood and if elected to the high office he seeks the people whose appreciation of his ability and worth have placed him there will find in him a faithful, able and upright official, actuated by a love for their welfare and the glory of the State."—The Kentucky Knight.

"Col. Oldham is a progressive Democrat and progressive citizen and a successful lawyer. If nominated and elected we believe he would give a progressive administration and one that would prove creditable alike to himself and to the party."—Interior Journal.

WEATHER REPORT.

Showers probably tonight and Friday. Cooler tonight.

DRAG WITH TRACTOR.

We understand the county authorities are rigging up a tractor-driven drag, that will be able to cover some 20-odd miles a day. They will purchase a light tractor for pulling this machine.

Law of Averages.
 Some railroad official engaged in winning the war for democracy has figured it out that, after you have traveled 10,000,000 miles, your turn to be killed in an accident is at hand. That settles it. When our speedometer registers 15,000,000 miles, we are going to travel the rest of the way afoot.

Mrs. Blanche Kennedy, of St. Louis, arrived Saturday to visit her parents, T. E. Case and wife.

New

White Footwear

Embracing Shoes, Pumps and Oxfords, in Ramskin and Kid.

FOR LADIES . . . \$3 TO \$10

FOR MEN . . . \$3 TO \$6

FOR CHILDREN . . \$1.50 TO \$3

Other spring and summer footwear in endless variety; and hosiery to please every fancy.

R. L. BRADLEY

MARRIAGES.

The Following Licenses Have Been Issued by County Clerk Henry.

J. H. Perry, age 30, son of W. M. Perry, and Miss Alice Willis, 21, daughter of Henry Willis. United in marriage Monday at Hickman, Judge E. J. Stahl officiating. The groom is a popular young farmer.

John Stetson, 45, and Mrs. Hattie Caldwell, 43, both of Hickman. Married Monday by Eld. E. L. Milley.

COLORED:

John Doster, 21, and Hattie Winston, 19, both of this county.

 HENRY DOUGHBODY HOME
 AGAIN AND HE WRITES:

My buddy says to me, one night when we were reading "The Stars and Stripes" up front: "Well, Hen, I see they're going to have a Liberty Loan back home. There's five months' pay coming to us from the paymaster tomorrow, and I'm going to help out the folks at home and take a hundred dollars' worth." That was the time of the Fourth Loan.

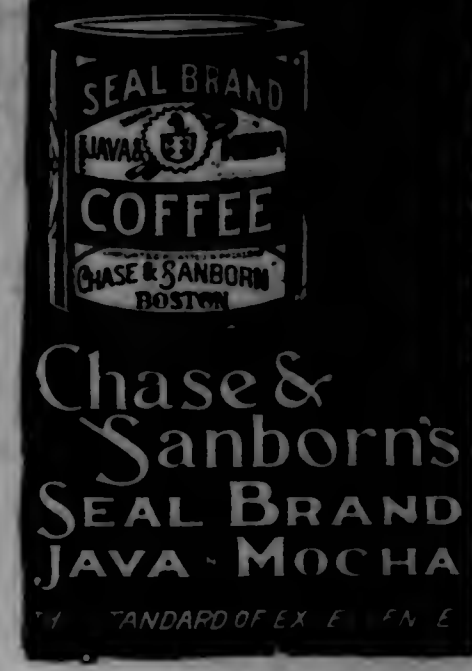
Well, he did, handing the money over to the skipper right there at the pay table, telling him to buy a bond for him.

That was a Thursday, Saturday at daylight we jumped off. Half an hour later I didn't have a bud-dy any more—a piece o' shrap.

Gee, he was a man! He gave everything he had to his country. And since I've been back I've heard some people growling because Uncle Sam is asking 'em to make one more loan to him so he can finish up the job.

I hope my old buddy can't hear what they're saying.

Florida Yam plants at \$2.00 per thousand. Excellent plants—Miss Frankye Field.



BONDURANT BROS.

Kick us, not about us. If we fail to please—Berry's Restaurant.

Miss Leora Holland, of Fulton, spent the week-end with her parents in Hickman.

THE OBELISK.

The Obelisk was presented to the City of New York by the Khedive of Egypt, Lieutenant Commander Goringe, U. S. N., after a three years' effort, obtained possession of it, and moved it to its present position. At an expense of nearly \$100,000 it was finally swung into position at noon, January 22, 1881.

The height of this monument from base to tip, is 69 feet, 2 inches. The measurement of the base, square through its axis, is 7 feet, 4 inches. The entire weight of the monument is 232½ tons.

Since it was quarried near the torrid zone, it has traveled the entire length of the Mediterranean Sea and the width of the Atlantic Ocean—distance of 4,000 miles—proving itself a first class traveler for one whose age has exceeded thirty-five centuries. In the course of its existence it has seen Pharaoh and his host going to their destruction in the Red Sea, Shishak marching to the conquest of Jerusalem, Cambyses despoiling the land of Herodotus, Plato and other great students engaged in pursuit of Egyptian lore, Alexander the Great on his victorious expedition through the land of Goshen; six and a half centuries of Roman sovereignty and Christian struggle at Alexandria, all the long line of Moslem rulers since Caliph Omar; and now, leaving all that behind, it stands looking upon the million dwellers in this metropolis, whose site was unknown to the Eastern world at a time when the Obelisk had been in existence for two thousand years.

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GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC is not a patent medicine, it is simply IRON and QUININE suspended in Syrup. So pleasant even children like it. The blood needs Quinine to Purify it and IRON to Enrich it. These reliable tonic properties never fail to drive out impurities in the blood.

The Strength-Creating Power of GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC has made it the favorite tonic in thousands of homes. More than thirty years ago, folks would ride a long distance to get GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC when a member of their family had Malaria or needed a body-building, strength-giving tonic. The formula is just the same today, and you can get it from any drug store. 60c per bottle.

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RECORDS BROKEN.

Chicago Hog Market Highest Ever Known at \$21.35.

The Chicago hog market Tuesday set a new record when the going struck \$21.35 a hundred pounds. Scarcity of porkers on the market is said to have been the reason for the unusual advance. Compare this, if you will, with the price some 20 years ago when first class hogs were selling at \$2.50 per hundred.

Corn also closed at a new high on the same market, duly being quoted at \$1.02½ a bushel.

SECURED A GOOD TINNER.

We wish to inform our friends and customers that we have secured a first class, reliable tinner and hot air furnace expert, and are now in a position to take care of your work in this line. All work guaranteed. A share of your business will be appreciated. Hickman Plumbing & Heating Co., (Incorporated).

129-Acre Farm Cheap. For quick sale, we offer a nice little place of 129 acres, 6 miles south of Hickman, at a bargain. About 70 acres, part of the creek bottom, in cultivation, most of the balance can be put in; all strong, well producing land. Ever since Noah left the ark, this land has laid out under the sunshine and rain absorbing all the fertility that nature imparts to the earth. For the past 25 years it has been carefully farmed. Never has it been asked to produce without putting something back. Small orchard, barn, ordinary 4-room house, good cistern, two living springs, all under fair fence. Is rented now for third of corn and fourth of cotton. One mile from Beech Grove, but just over Tennessee line. Particulars at this office.

2-10p.
 Fully an 1½ rain has fallen here in the past 48 hours, putting a stop to farm work in general. Many farmers are behind with their planting, and in the alfalfa section lots of alfalfa has been out and is laying on the ground, already badly damaged.

We try to do the impossible—"Please everybody."—Berry's Restaurant.

NEGRO ARRESTED.

Charged With Being Implicated in Shooting of Alfred Willis.

Elsewhere in this issue is an account of the shooting and wounding of Alfred Willis, Saturday night.

Also Robinson, an aged negro, 74 years old, was arrested Tuesday morning by Sheriff Swayne Walker on a charge made by Mrs. Alfred Willis, father, and was immediately brought here and put in jail. It is said Robinson was in town here Saturday and bought six shells for a shotgun, and upon search of his home only five were found. Robinson is very calm and quiet and stoutly denies that he did the shooting, claiming that on Saturday he bought only five shells. Many rumors are afloat as to the cause of the shooting, but nothing definite has been given out. "Frank" is being held here this week, and the grand jury is in session. Some interesting evidence is expected to be brought forth by the grand jury from this negro.

Being short of help this week, the Courier naturally falls below standard. Printers are rare birds these days—following the strawberry season and whims of fancy—here today, somewhere else tomorrow—wintering in Florida and summering among the Thousand Islands. The old tramp printer who used to count the railroad ties between towns, or ride the rods, and was happy to be staked for a 25c "ham and," now rides in a Pullman, wears a diamond stud, and tells the newspaper "boss" where to head in on a 7-hour day—providing the town has exclusive clubs and hotels that employ French chefs. Take it from us, the master printer is the little boy in this golden age.

The Courier had hoped to publish this week a digest of the peace terms, handed the German delegates yesterday afternoon, but as this document underwent revision up to noon yesterday, it is impossible to do so this week.

"A Game of Hearts," Sylvan Shade, Thursday night, May 15. Don't miss it.

Bondurant Bros. for that Keen Kutter Axe.



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P. & D. Hog Feed,	3.75
Danco Hog Feed,	3.75
Hen Feed,	.05
Little Chick Feed,	.05
Wheat Straw, per bale,	.65
Alfalfa and Timothy Hay, less than ton,	2.00

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(When the attention of the Hickman Courier is called to any misstatement of fact or to any error concerning any man or thing, correction will cheerfully be made.)

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Three Months	.40
3rd, 4th, 5th Zones:	
One Year	\$1.75
Six Months	.90
Three Months	.45

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

We are authorized to announce the following candidates, subject to the action of the Democratic primary election August 2, 1919:

For Representative

OTE PIPER
(Re-election)

For Senator

JUDGE B. T. DAVIS

HAD NO QUORUM.

The regular monthly meeting of the city council was not held Monday night because some of the members were absent on account of illness in their families. Mayor Caruthers informs us a meeting is scheduled to be held tonight in lieu of the Monday meeting.

A GAME OF HEARTS.

A 3-act comedy-drama, "A Game of Hearts," will be staged at Sylvan Shade school house Thursday, May 15, by the pupils of Sylvan Shade High School, beginning at 8:15, under the direction of Mrs. Ellis Dobson. Don't miss it.

Ross Cheshire returned to Atlanta, Ga., Tuesday after a few days' visit with his children and D. B. Wilson and wife.

Beginning May 12th, we will serve from eleven to one each day, a special Merchant's Lunch.—Berry's Restaurant.

Mrs. Solan Neighbors, of Ripley, Tenn., was the Sunday guest of her sister, Mrs. F. W. Bondurant.

VICTIM DROPSY.

David Andrews Passes Away at Age of 58. Leaves Two Children.

David Andrews, age 58 years, passed away at his home in this city, yesterday morning, following an illness of some four or five months. Organic heart trouble and dropsy is assigned as the cause of death.

Mr. Andrews came to Hickman several years ago from near Union City. Up to the time his last illness set up, he was employed at the Mangel Box factory.

He is survived by two little daughters—ages 12 and 14 years.

The remains were interred at the Hickman city cemetery.

Mr. Andrews and his two daughters made their home in one of the Stolar residences, east of Swift's grocery.

The little orphans have the tender sympathy of all in their tragic loss.

We can at least serve you until the first of Oct. and will try to merit your patronage. Call again.—Berry's Restaurant.

Than Rogers is spending the week in Dumas, Ark.

QUALITY

Drugs,
Soft Drinks,
Toilet Articles,
Cigars,
Candy,
Stationery,
Sundries,
Etc.

Cowgill's Drug Store
INCORPORATED

Medals From Captured Hun Guns for Workers

Every Victory Liberty Loan worker in the Eighth Federal Reserve District will be given a medal made from cannon captured by American soldiers from Germany in the war that has just been won—all but finishing the job.

These medals, both sides of which are shown in the accompanying illustration,



trations, are made of the highest grade of steel, and are splendid specimens of art, and the possessor will have a handsome token of his contributions.

A supply of blank certificates will be sent to each county chairman so that he can issue a certificate to each Victory Liberty Loan worker entitled to receive a medal. The names are to be sent in to headquarters on proper blanks by the county chairman so that medals can be sent to each worker to whom the certificates have been issued. These certificates and blanks will be sent to county chairmen within a few days.

CAYCE NEWS.

Interesting Items by the Courier's Special Correspondent.

Vacation is with us again, Friday being the last day of school and a very enjoyable day it was. The teachers gave a picnic in John Rankin's woods as a treat to the children. There were about 150 children present besides a number of the parents. They had a good dinner and all the food homemade they could drink and everybody had a good time. All enjoyed the games very much.—Cayce had a war tank Friday for about ten minutes. It was on a freight train and had to take sliding for the passenger train.—Lois Mayfield celebrated the last day of school by having a picnic.—Mr. and Mrs. Hester have moved to the Bob Powell place.—The school closing was well attended and very much enjoyed.—Mrs. Bell Davis, whose home is in Washington, D. C., and who is visiting her mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Atwell, was here Sunday.—Mrs. Lee Atwell of Chicago, came Thursday for an extended visit to her mother and other relatives and friends.—Mrs. Fita Nalling entertained Mrs. Lane of Ballard county and Miss Virginia Lutten Friday evening.—Mrs. Mitchell and little daughter, Nell, left Saturday morning for their home in South Carolina. We enjoyed very much having them with us this year and hope they may come back next.—Hershel Bradley came Sunday from Union City and spent the day with Mr. John Milner and family.—Rev. Woods filled his regular appointment Sunday at the Baptist church.—Miss Annie Atwell was here Sunday.—Jessie Sloan spent Sunday with Mayme Ashell.—Dr. and Mrs. C. A. Wright were in Hickman Saturday.—Mrs. John Varden is on the sick list.—Mr. and Mrs. Chase, Standell of Charleston, Mo., are visiting their sister, Mrs. W. T. Holly.—Mr. Drew Lutten and daughter, Mabel, of Union City, visited Miss Nannie Lutten Saturday.—Hendon Wright is on the sick list this week.—Mrs. Ella Arrington was in Clinton Saturday.—Misses Olna Mayes and Ollie Richardson attended church at Ebenezer and visited Mrs. Roy Wade Sunday.—Mrs. Etta Nalling, Misses Eva Johnson, Effie and Harry Ashell were shopping in Union City Monday.—Charley Bondurant and family were in Filson Tuesday afternoon.—Mrs. Henry Burns is in Jackson being treated by an eye specialist.—Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Cruse was here Sunday in their new Maxwell car.—Miss Ollie Richardson left Monday for her home in Bowling Green. We are hoping she will come back to us when school begins again.

Mrs. Ella Stone, of Portageville, Mo., has returned home after a visit to her son, Roscoe Stone, and Mrs. T. A. Ledford.

Mrs. Ellis Dobson returned home Friday after a visit to her parents Mr. and Mrs. Toher, of Franklin, Tenn.

Clagett Martin, of Martin, Tenn., was here Sunday, the guest of Miss Celeste Roberts.

Frank Herries returned home Sunday from a few days' stay at Louisville.

Try our "Special" from eleven to one every day.—Berry's Restaurant.

Leibovitz Guaranteed all wool Suits and Dutchess Trousers

Stacy Adams and Walk Over Shoes

Regular Clothes for Regular Fellows At Leibovitz "Live Store"



Leibovitz chooses your clothes with utmost care. He knows how, it's his business. You could not begin to be as considerate or particular about your clothes as I am. You haven't the time nor the patience, nor can you afford to spend days, weeks and months selecting the fabrics, patterns, styles, linings and other detailed items that make up your clothes. I do all this for you. My entire energy is centered on the work of giving the men and young men of this community Thoroughly, Well-made, all-wool clothes at

Real Value Prices

The new spring and summer suits now here are full of Life, with individual Style, Smart patterns and color tones, and Quality surpassed by no others.

Quality Stetson Hats, Manhattan Shirts, Vassar Athletic Underwear, Hole-proof Hosiery, and other good things for men who care are here for you.

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MEN'S COMPLETE OUTFITTER.

The "Live Store" Where Quality Reigns Higher than Price
The House that Gained 500 per cent in its Fifth Year of Existence.

Arrow Brand Shirts and Collars

Stetson and Worth Hats

The Problem of What to Eat at This Time of Year—

is best solved by a visit to Ellison's Grocery—a store that makes a study of grocery needs at all seasons. This week we offer new

Dried Apricots
Dried Apples
Dried Peaches
And Prunes

It is still too early for home-grown garden truck—and too late for winter stuff. Then why not one of these?

BEST CANNED:

Peas
Corn
Tomatoes
Corn Kernels
String Beans
Kraut
Hominy
Sweet Potatoes
Beets
Asparagus
Apples
Peaches

WEEK-END SPECIALS

Strawberries
Lettuce
Green Peas
Salad
Green Onions
Radicchio
Rhubarb
Squash
Green Peppers.

Also Fresh Bulk Cakes, Everything in Meats, Candies, Fruits, Rolls and Bread, Etc.

ELLISON
Grocery and Hardware Co.

LIFT CORNS OR CALLUSES OFF

Doesn't hurt! Lift any corn or callus off with fingers



Don't suffer! A tiny bottle of Freestone costs but a few cents at any drug store. Apply a few drops on the corn, calluses and "hard skin" on the bottom of feet, then lift them off. Freestone removes corns from the skin or calluses from the bottom of feet, the skin beneath is left pink and healthy and never sore, tender or irritated.

Will Bondurant and wife have gone to New York in the house vacated by N. Gregory, property of Mrs. A. L. Gregory.

Geo. Hilstenberg and little daughter returned last week from ten days' trip to White River, Ark.

Miss Eunice Burrows, of Dumas, Ark., is visiting Miss Mary Briggs.

E. A. Hale, Sr., spent a few days this week in Paducah.

FINED \$56.50

Cairo Negro, With Grip Full of Booze, Met at the Gangplank as he Leaves Steamer Tuesday

Wash Taylor was his name. He was as black as the shrouds of mid-night. As he strolled down the gangplank of a Lee Line steamer, when she nosed into the local port, he carried a light tan suitcase, brand spanking new, apparently the \$1.98 variety. Wash evidently didn't know "the law" of Hickman as the negroes call Chief Hamby, for he walked right into the officer's arms—suitcase, booze and all. He will swear to you that Chief Hamby can look right through a cheap suit case—and that kind of man won't do to fool with.

Wash was registered on the Hickman Police Court docket, charged with having in his possession liquor for the purpose of sale. But he waived the formality of a trial, and pleaded guilty of the charge. Be it said to the credit of Wash, he is a cheap-skate legger, but carries a check book and pays his little extras in a regular business way. He wrote a check for \$56.50 on a Cairo bank, and incidentally displayed a pass book with credits of something over \$100. Communication with the bank indicated his check is good up to \$100 amount, at least.

The officers emptied the suit case of its contents, packed with quarts and pints, gave the case to Wash and he boarded the afternoon train yesterday for the good old town of Cairo, convinced that Hickman is not a suitable place to embark in business.

Miss Bettie Louise Curdin returned Saturday night from several days' visit with Dr. Gaines and sister, Miss Addie Gaines, of Nashville.

Miss Vera Brannan, of Union City, spent from Friday to Sunday the guest of Miss Mary Briggs.

Miss Lucile Hendrix has returned home after a visit to Mrs. W. E. Lynch of Nashville, Tenn.

VINOL MAKES WEAK WOMEN STRONG

Positive—Convincing Proof
We publish the formula of Vinol to prove convincingly that it has the power to create strength.

It Cod Liver and Beef Peptones, Iron and Manganese Peptones, Iron and Ammonium Citrate, Lime and Soda Glycophosphates, Casein.

Any woman who buys a bottle of Vinol for a weak, run-down, nervous condition and finds after giving it a fair trial it did not help her, will have her money returned.

You see, there is no guess work about Vinol. Its formula proves there is nothing like it for all weak, run-down, overworked, nervous men and women and for feeble old people and delicate children. Try it once and be convinced.

Helm & Son, Druggists.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

The morning subject at the First Baptist church next Sunday morning will be "Man, the Image of God." The evening subject will be "The Man Who Promises Well." Don't forget the hours of worship, 11 a. m. and 8:15 p. m. Sunday school at 10 a. m.—H. M. Crain, Pastor.

MILK COWS FOR SALE

I have several nice fresh Jersey and Holstein milk cows for sale—cash, credit or trade.—Herman Choate. 5-8c

Garden rakes and hoe.—Bondurant Bros.

Sale of Women's and Children's ...LOW SHOES...

Now comes the greatest economy event of the year for the women and children of Hickman. When we announce a sale it is a **REAL SALE** and there is a bona fide reason back of every reduction announced.

We are going to clear our shoe stock of all odds and ends in low shoes, and to do so we have reduced prices to a point where we know **THE VALUES OFFERED ARE UNBEATABLE**. While these low shoes are not this year's styles the workmanship and materials are better than you get in new footwear.

No approvals, exchanges or returns; shoes must be fitted when sold.

Womens Shoes are divided into five lots at the following extremely low prices:

LOT NO. 1	LOT NO. 2	LOT NO. 3	LOT NO. 4	LOT NO. 5
2.45	1.95	1.45	1.25	95¢

Children's Shoes in three lots:

LOT NO. 6	LOT NO. 7	LOT NO. 8
1.25	75¢	50¢

Better Come Early for This Is a Real Chance to Save Money

Smith & Amberg

Incorporated

"A Safe Place to Trade."

Hickman, Kentucky

"A Game of Hearts," Sylvan Shade, Thursday night, May 15. Don't miss it.
John Hagan spent a few days here the latter part of last week.
Courier, 3 months, 40c.

Mrs. Leonora Taylor, of Cairo, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Charlie Brown.
Esin Routten and Jerold Brown left Sunday for Akron, Ohio, to work.
We try to do the impossible—"Please everybody."—Berry's Restaurant.

EBERT TROOPS FIGHTING THE REDS



German government troops stationed upon the roof of a shack, armed with light machine guns, are shown protecting a government building in Berlin against the Spartacists.

REVIVAL DATE CHANGED.

On account of a misunderstanding, and a conflict in the dates of the Baptist and Methodist revivals in West Hickman, the date of the Methodist revival is changed to a later date, announcement of which is to be made at the proper time.

Potato Slips For Sale: Porto Rico, Triumph, Doody Yam and Florida Yam, \$2.50 for 1000; five thousand and over, \$2.25. For 1000, cash with order.—J. E. Akin, Union City, Tenn. 5-25p

Miss Dale Burrus, of Woodland, spent Saturday and Sunday with Miss Mary Briggs.

Kick us, not about us, if we fail to please.—Berry's Restaurant.

Groceries.—Bettsworth.

NOTICE OF ELECTION.

Whereas, there will be a vacancy in the office of Superintendent of Schools of Fulton county, Kentucky, on the 31st day of May, 1918, brought about by the resignation of the present Superintendent, to take effect on said date, and whereas, an appointment has been made to fill vacancy to become effective at said time, and to be effective until her successor in office shall have been elected and qualified and whereas, three months will intervene between the happening of said vacancy and the next succeeding annual election at which time State Officers are to be elected, therefore be it ordered and it is hereby the order of this Court in pursuance to Section 1525 Ky. Statute that the said unexpired term of the present Superintendent of Schools, for Fulton county, shall be filled by the voters of Fulton county, Kentucky on November 14th, the regular date set for election of State Officers in the year 1919, and it is further ordered that the Sheriff of Fulton county, shall open a poll and hold an election on said date

for the purpose of filling the unexpired term of the office of Superintendent of Common Schools of Fulton county, and he will advertise the time and place of said election as required by law, and this shall be his authority for so doing.

E. J. STAHR, Co. Judge.

Pursuant to above order, said election shall be held on the above mentioned date and at each and every voting precinct in Fulton county, Ky.

SWAYNE WALKER, Sheriff, F. C.
By E. Matheny, D. S.

Jodie Langford, lately returned from France, has resumed his former position with Mengel Box Co.

Mrs. Blanche Kennedy, of St. Louis, is here the guest of her parents, F. E. Case and wife.

Mrs. J. M. Reid returned last week from a visit with Miss Mabel Truby in Nashville.

Order flowers for Mother's Day, Sunday, the 11th.—Miss Frankie Held.

STOP

Don't buy a car until you've seen our line. We can make prompt deliveries on—

**OLDSMOBILE
ESSEX
HUDSON
DODGE**

Also a full line of Accessories, Tires, Etc.
STORAGE BATTERIES re-charged and re-acidified. If your battery gives you trouble, bring it to us.

REPAIR WORK of all kinds. Not how cheap, but how good, is our slogan. All work guaranteed.

PUTNAM & SPARKMAN.
The Riverfront Garage.

PERUNA and MANALIN Cured Me

Mrs. E. M. Harris, R. R. No. 3, Ashland, Va., sends a message of cheer to the sick:

"After following your advice and using Peruna and Manalin, I was cured of catarrh of the nose, throat and stomach, from which I had suffered for several years. When I commenced taking Peruna I could not make my bed without stopping to rest. Now I

Catarrh of the Nose, Throat and Stomach.

do all my work and am in good health. I recommend this valuable remedy to all suffering from any disease of the stomach."

Peruna is sold everywhere Liquid or Tablet Form

Leibovitz Guaranteed all wool
Suits and Dutchess TrousersStacy Adams and
Walk Over Shoes

Stacy Adams

And

Walk-Overs

The new STACY-ADAMS and WALK-OVER Oxfords for spring and summer are now ready, and come in Mahogany and all the newest dark and medium shades of tan, in Calf and Kid, Black also.

Styles, the very newest city models in English lasts, also all the regular and straight lasts.

Stacy-Adams and Walk-Over Quality continues in superiority.

"The Best Shoes on Earth"

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Garden rakes and hoes.—Boudurant Bros.

Joe Browder and M. M. Gorion were here from Fulton yesterday.

Try our "Special" from eleven to one every day.—Berry's Restaurant.

C. G. Schlenker and W. C. Reed went to Louisville first of the week to see Joe Cantillon's ball club beat the Louisville team.

We can at least serve you until the first of Oct. and will try to merit your patronage. Call again.—Berry's Restaurant.

Coley Bradley writes us from Lexington to discontinue his Courier as he expects to start home in a few days. The letter was dated April 19.

"Bayer Cross" on Tablets.
American Owned, Entirely!

HEADACHE

**FADES
RIGHT
AWAY**

"Bayer Tablets of Aspirin"
Offer Relief—With Safety!

For Headache Colds
Neuralgia Grippes
Toothache Influenza Colds
Earache Achy Joints
Rheumatism Neuritis
Lumbago Pain! Pain!

Adults—Take one or two
"Bayer Tablets of Aspirin"
with water. If necessary, repeat dose three times a day.



ASPIRIN

Aspirin is the trade mark of Bayer Manufacturing of Monocrotic acid of Salicylic acid.
Buy the Bayer packages only.
20-cent package—Also larger sizes.

QUARTERLY COURT.

Following are Cases of Interest Tried Since Last Report.

John Ray, breach of the peace, using insulting language to Assessor W. T. Coffey, fined \$1 and costs.

Richard Johnson, house-breaking, bond fixed at \$200, caught last week by city officers. He confessed to having broken into the wholesale grocery of A. S. Barlett, and gave up stolen goods he had hidden.

ROPER DISTRICT NEWS.

Mrs. William Greer, of Sikeston, Mo., has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. C. Roper and family.—Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Fields of Hickman, spent Saturday night and Sunday at the home of his father, W. J. Fields and family.—Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Henry and children, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Roper and daughter, of Hickman, visited Mrs. Fannie Henry Sunday.—Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Roper visited relatives near Fulton Sunday.—Miss Jessie Smith and brother John were in Cayce Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Copeland and son, of Hickman, and Mr. and Mrs. Rob Johnson and daughter of Cayce, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Roper.—Mr. and Mrs. Billard Luther and Mrs. Mary Taylor, of near Wingo, visited Mrs. Taylor's brother, W. J. Fields and family Sunday.—Mrs. Elmer Robertson and son visited Mrs. Leonard Blanford near Moscow Thursday.—Hazel Fields is visiting her cousin Misses Ida May and Marie Johnston of near Hickman this week.—Mrs. Hyatt and Mr. Owens of Clinton visited their niece Mrs. James Roper and family one day last week.—Mrs. J. P. Thomas, son and daughter, were in Hickman Saturday.—Mrs. Gale Rouch and son, Glenn, of Moscow, visited her sister, Mrs. C. L. Bryant, Sunday.—Mrs. Carrie Platt of Sikeston, Mo., spent a few days last week with her sister, Mrs. J. E. Roper.—Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Stone of near Reelfoot Lake, spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Prouett.—Mrs. Albert Roper visited her daughter, Mrs. Will Copeland at Hickman Tuesday.—W. J. Fields and Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Scott and children were in Fulton Saturday.—Johnnie Tress and Richard Bransford spent Saturday night with Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Naylor at Cayce, and Sunday with Mr. J. P. Oliver and family of near Ebenezer church.—Mr. and Mrs. Drew Lelp and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Billie Prouett near Cayce.—Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Tress and son, Naylor, visited Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Naylor at Cayce, Sunday.

KENTUCKY OVER TOP.

Kentucky was the first State in the 8th Federal district to oversubscribe its quota of Victory bonds. The drive ends Saturday, and many districts have sold around only 50 per cent of their quotas.

CENTENARY RALLY.

H. T. Smith to Address Beech Grove Congregation.

On next Sunday afternoon at three o'clock there is to be a great Centenary rally, the last to be held on the Crystal and West Hickman circuit, at Beech Grove church. Hon. H. T. Smith of Fulton, is to be the principal speaker, and it is desired that every Methodist within the bounds of the circuit who can possibly do so, be present. The afternoon appointment at Blue Pond is called in for the occasion, in order that all may concentrate at Beech Grove.

The Centenary, God's great challenge to His church, is gathering added momentum, and every one of our people should make it a point to be present on this occasion, filled with the spirit of world outlook and world conquest that the blood of none may be required at our hands. Let the cars and all conveyances be on the job next Sunday that everybody may have an opportunity to attend the last great Centenary rally before the Big Drive on the third Sunday.



Heifer Strayed: About 2 years old, red with white in face and spots on legs; marked with crop off both ears and underlip in left. Reward. Notify Wm. F. Barnes, Hickman.
19.
Rev. E. L. Milley, pastor of the Christian church, was pleasantly surprised Saturday night, when a number of his friends and members of the church gathered in the basement of the church, bringing a number of gifts in honor of his 38th birthday. Besides these he also received a good donation on the purchase of a new car.

THREE TO PEN.

Dunlop and Guthrie Get Two Years; Hacklin One Year.

Fulton Circuit Court opened at Hickman Monday morning with Judge Bunk Gardner, of Mayfield, presiding, and Commonwealth's Attorney Ben Adams, of Bardwell, representing the state. Up to this morning, only a few cases of more than passing interest had been disposed of.

Willis Dunlop and Leonard Guthrie, two white boys, charged with stealing a Ford car from Perkins Hicks several weeks ago, and who were caught in Paducah with the car, were given a jury trial, resulting in their conviction and punishment fixed at two years in the penitentiary. Herbert Taylor was also charged with being implicated in this affair but was found not guilty.

Henry Macklin, charged with malicious shooting with intent to kill, was found guilty and given one year in the pen. He shot his wife in the back with a shotgun some two years ago and made his getaway, but was caught a few weeks back in Mississippi county, Mo. He was a Hickman negro—until his shooting scrape occurred.

Jim Bradberry, maintaining a common nuisance, \$10 and costs.

W. F. Pierson, pointing a deadly weapon, found not guilty. Mr. Pierson appealed from Quarterly Court where he was fined \$50 by a jury.

Ples Lynum, malicious cutting, with intent to kill, case continued.

John Adair, violating the local option law, not guilty.

M. C. Harding, same, trial resulted in a long jury and will be tried again in September.

John Wright, malicious cutting, continued.

Mary Hensberry, grand larceny, continued.

Herbert Nance, forgery, continued.

C. T. Boudurant vs. Ewell Milling Co. Plaintiff given a judgment of \$902.

Thacker Med. Co. vs. J. M. Asbell. Dismissed.

A. S. Barlett vs. R. L. Hasnall. Judgment for \$494. Defendant made a contract to deliver a certain quantity of canned corn at a certain price, but failed to fulfill the obligation.

The grand jury has found about seven indictments so far.

Miss Christine Irvine was appointed by the court as Fulton County Examiner; office with S. D. Stenbridge.

The grand jury is composed of the following gentlemen:

H. C. Helm, Foreman.
C. M. Reynolds, Clerk.
R. M. Isler, Sheriff.
A. J. Wiley.
J. W. Ward.
L. H. Bacon.
F. T. Randle.
Joe Blanford.
W. E. Boudurant.
J. O. West.
B. C. Ramage.
Sam Walker.

Petit Jurymen:

Chas. Vance.
W. T. Boudurant.
George Buck.
E. G. Dink Sr.
L. D. Maddox.
E. B. Prather.
Chas. Ledwidge.
L. N. Gregory.
J. C. Barnett.
J. J. Seay.
J. R. Linsford.
S. H. Linder.
Jeff Davis.
J. S. Cress.
Dan D. Davis.
A. A. Almaraz.
Roy Clark.
Walter Croftie.
H. H. Harding.
C. S. Patterson.
Jas. P. Thomas.
C. A. Wilson.
J. R. Brown.
Ellis Dobson.
Frank Watson.
Lewis Awell.
Tobe Jackson.
Chas. Noonan.

Atty. Ben S. Adams says there is enough work before the court to keep them busy until Saturday, if not longer.

Some Fellows Who Do Not
Get Along Well With Work

When you find fellows wearing that down-in-the-mouth expression and inquiring for a new job in an undertone you can put it down that work and they don't get along well together. The getting up before breakfast and working between meals gets on the nerve of a great many aspirants of the nickel aristocracy. But the plain fact of the matter is they are just downright lazy and can't work longer than it takes to get a few small meal tickets or passage to the next town. There they hope to fall into a general managership with nothing to do but draw pay. Their chief anatomy consists in a prominent wishbone which extends where the backbone ought to be.

Expects to Mine Platinum.

Two years of prospecting by a geologist and explorer has established rather definitely the location of extensive lands, tributary to the new Alaska railroad, from which it is expected that platinum can be mined profitably.

Majeed Salamy, better known as Egypt, arrived home yesterday from overseas, after nine months in France and Belgium. He was with the Quartermasters corps.

Among the out-of-town attorneys attending court this week are H. T. Smith, Fulton; Judge J. E. Robbins, Mayfield; Judge R. B. Platt, Clinton; Hester & Hester and W. J. Webb, Mayfield; Sam Crossland, Paducah.

REID BROS.

..WEEKLY STORE NEWS..

Fruits for the Week

ORANGES, APPLES AND BANANAS

In Vegetables we have Lettuce, Radishes and Mustard.

Complete line of Lunch Goods.

Grape Juice, Quart size 75 cents, Pint size 40 cents, Small size 15 cents.

Olives, any size, stuffed or plain.

We carry the best line of Coffee in the city. Four High Grade Coffees—Capitol Blend, Martha Washington, Maxwell House and Alameda.

Graham Flour, four pound packages, 40c

Flora and Plansifter Flour.

Domino Golden Syrup, small size, also Maple Karo.

SPECIALS FOR THE WEEK.

Extra Good Four-tie Broom, worth the money, 75c
Red Label Columbia Batteries, 45c or 2 for 85c

REID BROS.

We Deliver

Both 'Phones

EXTRA SESSION MAY 19.

A call for Congress to meet in special session May 19 was issued by President Wilson yesterday.

Receipt of the president's cable issuing the call was announced at the White House by Secretary Tamm.

The date set for reconvening congress probably means that President Wilson will not be home at the opening session. Four years ago yesterday, the German submarine U-39 sank the Irish coast and 1,154 persons, 114 of whom were American citizens, lost their lives.

A GAME OF HEARTS.

A Raet comedy-drama, "A Game of Hearts," will be staged at Sylvan Shade school house Thursday, May 15, by the pupils of Sylvan Shade High School, beginning at 8:15, under the direction of Mrs. Ellis Dobson. Don't miss it.

New Idea in Shaping Glass Tubes.

A reported German method of shaping glass tubes consists in placing a core of the desired form and size in a somewhat larger glass tube, exhausting the air from the tube and sealing it, and then rotating while kept hot until the outside air pressure fits the glass closely about the core.

Groceries.—Bettsworth.

Opening Sale!

Goldberg's New Store
(Montgomery Building)

Sale Starts SATURDAY

May 10, Continues 10 Days

Special

Introductory Bargains

—In—

**Ladies and Mens Clothing
Shoes, Shirts
Work Clothes, Etc.**

Dont fail to visit our Bargain Tables.

Soldiers given a special 10 per cent discount
See hand bills for prices.

GOLDBERG'S
Cash Store

Up Week

On Everything in our

Wear Department

May 10; Ends May 24

0% Discount 20% Discount

On every Skirt in the house

On All Gingham Dresses

at 85 White Summer Skirts, water damaged, values \$2.00 to \$4.50

About 40 pairs Cotton Blankets, water damaged, values \$4.98

SPECIAL SALE PRICE 98c

SALE PRICE \$2.48

NEW FLOOR COVERINGS

Come in and see our New Floor Covering Department. The best of everything in Rugs, Matting, Etc., at the lowest Market prices.

Everyone Invited to Attend This Sale

Sale Begins
Saturday,
May 10th, continues 2 weeks!!

S. M. NAIFEH

THE BIG DEPARTMENT STORE

Hickman, Kentucky

Two Weeks
---Big Sale---
May 10th to
May 24th

the people of the State to repeal the present tax law and return to the old system of assessment and taxation that was tried for twenty-five years and found wanting.

It would result, he said, in driving from the State and keeping out of the State the capital that is needed so badly to develop the State's resources. "Let us amend the law from time to time," he said, "to correct inequalities, and then, if it continues unsatisfactory, find another plan."

Judge Carroll warned his hearers that the Democrats, if they expect to win in November, must present to the voters a ticket made up of honest and capable men.

There was a time, he said, when a Democratic nomination to State office was tantamount to election, but that time has passed.

In dealing with the pardoning evil in Kentucky, Judge Carroll said he was not speaking of "this administration or that administration."

"I have not in mind Democratic Governors or Republican Governors," he said, "I am merely giving expression to a wide spread feeling that has grown up throughout the State that our laws intended to punish offenders, too often have been and without good reason, put to naught by the executive through his pardoning power."

Judge Carroll promised that in the event he is elected Governor no violator of the law will receive at his hands a commutation for pardon unless it is made to appear to him that the ends of justice would be better promoted thereby.

Too little attention is being given the little log school house in Kentucky, Judge Carroll said. He pointed out that the big institutions of learning in the State are able to and do look out for themselves.

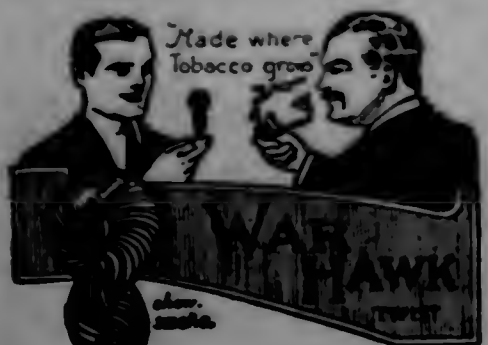
The most harmful influence in the conduct of affairs of the State," Judge Carroll declared, "is in too much politics."

BAPTIST HOLD REVIVAL.

Rev. Andrew Turkington, some ten years ago pastor of the First Baptist church in Hickman, but now of Van Wert, Ohio, arrived in town first of the week to conduct a revival, which opened Monday night. This week services will be held only at night.

This church is now without a regular pastor, Rev. R. C. Daley having given up the charge some two weeks ago.

Courier three months 40c.



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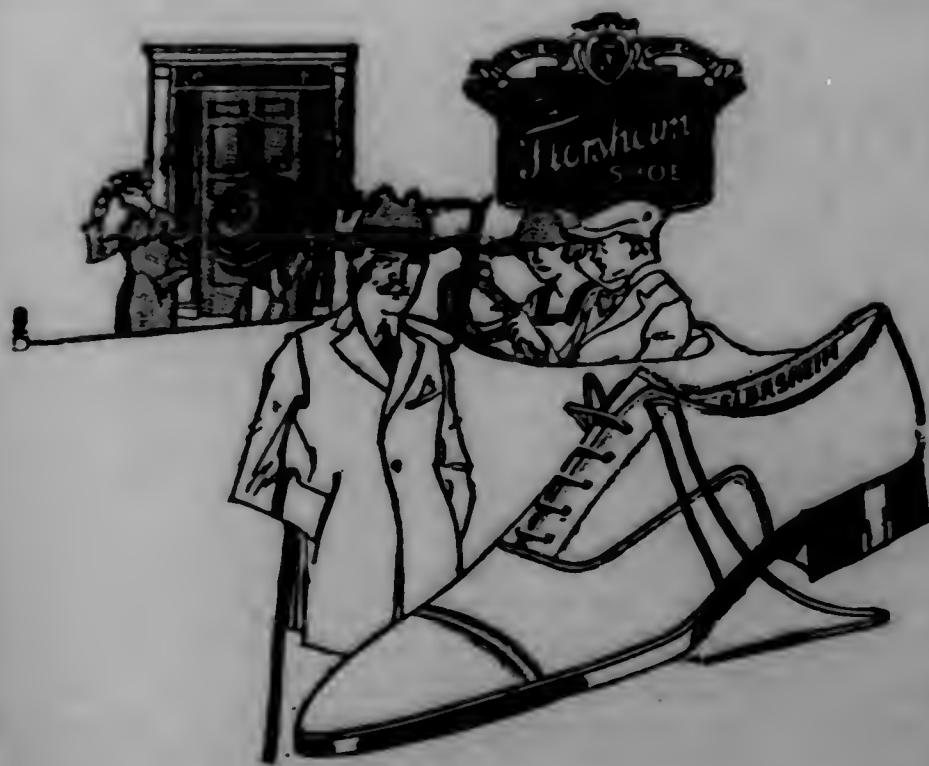


VIEW OF U. S. CAPITOL DURING PAINTING.

The dome of the United States Capitol at Washington is kept in excellent condition by painting it every few years. For this work forty painters are steadily employed for three months' time. Over five thousand gallons of paint are required for one coat. The reason for painting the Capitol dome at regular intervals is to prevent disintegration of metallic surface.

Mrs. Joe Ingle left Sunday for Cleveland, where she will join her husband, who is playing ball there.

Mrs. Julia Burnett, of Lakeland, Florida, is visiting Mrs. Earle Johnson.



YOU know Florsheim quality—we think everybody knows it. More of you men who are paying as much for ordinary shoes as Florsheims would cost, ought to know The Florsheim Shoe by actual wear as well as by reputation in order that you might enjoy the extra satisfaction and service you would get and thus become convinced that it pays to buy Florsheims always.

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BERRY APPEALS.

Loses Forfeible Detainer Suit, and Appeals. Busy Bee Still Idle. One House—2 Tenants.

The water is still muddy in the Hale-Berry-Pendleton tangle, regarding possession of the building now occupied by Berry's Restaurant.

In the forfeible detainer suit, filed by B. C. Hale, Sr., against M. F. Berry, and tried before Judge Stahl Monday, a verdict was rendered in favor of Mr. Hale. Mr. Hale is trying to get possession of his building, occupied by Berry, on the grounds that Berry's lease is monthly, while the defendant claims he is renting by the year, having assumed the contract of his predecessor J. J. Bone. Mr. Bone testified that he did rent by the year for a certain period, after that he rented by the month. The court therefore found for the plaintiff. Defendant's attorney promptly filed a traverse, made bond for all damages and took an appeal to circuit court. This means Berry will have possession until September, at least.

When the Crystal Theatre burned out in March, the management was forced to look for new quarters, and bought the A. A. Faris building occupied by Tom Pendleton's Busy Bee Restaurant. This forced Mr. Pendleton to look for new quarters, so he closed a deal for the lease of the Hale building, occupied by Mr. Berry, a competitor of the Busy Bee. When notice was served on Mr. Berry it failed to "take." In the meantime, Pendleton was forced to give possession to the picture show, but could not get the building he had leased from Mr. Hale. He therefore stored his fixtures—and is now out of business. Mr. Hale filed his forfeible detainer suit—and won it—but Mr. Berry is still doing business at the old stand. Mr. Hale now has two tenants for the same building—and Berry proves the old adage "possession is nine points in law." The Busy Bee has become the Idle Bee—his force loading, his cheese moulding and fixtures stored away. Thus the triangle grows in interest.

Mrs. J. H. Millet, who has been visiting her son, Harry Millet and wife, of Jacksonville, Fla., has returned home.



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Our coal is ready for you—
Clean, Bright, Dry and Perfectly Reliable.
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CLIP YOUR COUPONS.

The Saturday Evening Post gives the following advice:

"It seems that many holders of Liberty Bonds are not collecting the interest when it falls due. If it is a small bond the half-yearly interest is a small sum. Perhaps it does not seem to the holder worth bothering with perhaps he does not know how to do it."

"Every six months an interest coupon, attached to the bond, falls due. It is as good as money at any respectable bank. Cut it off and hand it in at the bank, then put the amount into War Savings Stamps or into another Liberty Bond subscription."

"We have found bondholders who failed to clip coupons with the idea that by letting the government keep the interest money they were helping on with the war, but that is not the way to do it. When interest falls due

the treasurer must hold in readiness a sum sufficient to pay it all. By collecting the interest and investing the proceeds in stamps you take it off the Treasurer's hands and clean up the book."

"Take your Liberty Bond investment seriously. Clip the coupons when they fall due. Interest on 4th Liberty Bonds was due and payable on April 15th."

Habitual Constipation Cured in 14 to 21 Days
"LAX-FOS WITH PEPSIN" is a specially-prepared Syrup Tonic-Laxative for Habitual Constipation. It relieves promptly but should be taken regularly for 14 to 21 days to induce regular action. It stimulates and regulates. Very Pleasant to Take. 60c per bottle.

So far the locomotive has not arrived, but his coming may be looked for most any time.



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COME IN AND HEAR THIS MACHINE
Price only \$30, or \$35 with automatic stop.

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Exclusive Local Agents.

WILL HOLD ON.

Gov. Stanley May Continue as State's Executive Until December.

It is reported that Senator-elect A. O. Stanley, of Kentucky, and Senator-elect Walter E. Edge, of New Jersey, are arranging a senatorial pact under the terms of which both will continue to serve as governors of their respective states until their gubernatorial terms expire.

Stanley's term as governor of Kentucky will expire next December and Edge's term as governor of New Jersey will end next January. Stanley is a Democrat and Edge is a Republican.

The alleged arrangement simply would mean that Kentucky and New Jersey would be represented in the Senate by one senator each until next January. The political control of the Senate would not be in any way changed, however, owing to the fact that they are of opposite political faiths.

Muscular Effort Is Cause of Nearsightedness, Notes an Authority on Subject

It is generally agreed that myopia or nearsightedness, is an acquired defect resulting from the elongation of the eyeball, but its causation has not yet been determined, the evidence for the assumption that near work produces near sight being unsatisfactory. Dr. Eldridge Green, writing in the London Lancet, advances the theory that the primary and essential cause is at obstruction of the outflow of the lymph. The obstruction may be produced by severe muscular effort, e. g., by lifting heavy weights, when a feeling of tension is always felt in the eyes, which appear, in extreme cases to be starting from the head. This is more especially the cause of progressive myopia among warehouse men, porters and others whose work involves excessive effort, while with those engaged in sedentary occupations the form of exercise taken is responsible, e. g., wrestling, rowing, digging, and also coughing. Thus when signs of commencing myopia appear anything likely to increase the intraocular tension should be avoided. There is no need to avoid reading.

Telescope in California Is Largest in the World

Another largest thing of its kind in the world, the great telescope that has been 12 years in the making, has been set up at the top of Mount Wilson in California. Its mirror required a glass disk 100 inches in diameter, 13 inches thick and 4½ tons in weight. The dome that protects it and the machinery that enables it to follow the stars demanded the building of a new road and the construction of a special kind of motortruck to get them up the mountain. Although this latest astronomical apparatus weighs 400 tons, it moves without vibration or sound by finger pressure on a button. But what would perhaps even more astonish, for instance, the ancient Chaldeans is that it will do its work chiefly by taking photographs.—Christian Science Monitor.

Waves Attain a Height of 400 Feet in Stormy Seas

Some of the most terrible storms at sea are experienced, not in winter, as might be expected, but during the heat of summer. Waves at the seaside are, however, totally different and very puny compared with those in mid-ocean. A Queenstown steamer reported waves 100 feet in height during an Atlantic gale. Waves of 50 feet to 75 feet are common to the Atlantic, but it is in the Indian ocean that we look for those of really gigantic stature. Cold regions also experience immense seas. Washberg, Norway, can claim a wave of 400 feet in height. The Cornish coast was once bombarded with a wave of 300 feet.

Consciousness Not Lost in Falls.

The popular idea that a person loses consciousness in the course of a fall from a great height seems to be refuted by the experience of aviators. Parachutes, although designed to open after 200 feet, frequently do not open under 1,000 or 1,500 feet, and during this drop the men tied to them are quite conscious.

WITH THE SAGES

A high intellect is a gift from God—a pure heart his dwelling place.—Ruskin.

Thoroughness is one of the precious qualities of character and work.

Every man is a volume if you know how to read him.—Dickens.

Custom is the plague of wise men and the idol of fools.—Novels.

Let him who would move the world first move himself.—Socrates.

HAY WANTED.

Few cars of hay wanted. These being hay to offer, wire or write me prices.—J. D. Poreh & Co., Waverly, Tenn.

According to the last fish and law, it is unlawful to net fish during the month of May.

CAPT. BARTON DEAD.

Truman Barton Dies in Florida, Formerly a Citizen Here.

Capt. Truman B. Barton, a former citizen of Hickman, died at his home at Palmetto, Florida, on April 16th, according to a belated report reaching his half-brother, W. T. Barton, of Hickman.

Mr. Barton was close to 75 years of age, and is survived by several grown children at Tomahawk, Wis., to which place his remains were shipped for interment. The message received here stated that the cause of death, but a letter from the deceased, just a week before his demise, stated that he was enjoying good health. Death evidently was sudden.

Capt. Barton spent his boyhood days here; in fact, grew up in the vicinity of Hickman. He and our fellow citizen Judge John Cowgill were school mates. He was held in high esteem by his many friends here. About five years ago he went South, locating at Palmetto, at which place he continued to reside until the end.

The mat of a teacher who is not progressive enough to be a patron of his county paper will never set the weight on fire with the amount of knowledge he instills into the minds of the future men and women of the country.—Caldwell Record.

Bulbs at wholesale prices.—Finest Red Bronze Cannas \$1.50 per dozen. Grow 4 to 6 feet tall, beautiful red blossoms. Postage prepaid. No finer Cannas grown.—R. S. Williams, Fulton, Ky.

Fresh sausage Tuesday and Friday.—Bettendorff.

KETTLER-CALDWELL.

Popular Couple Wed at Union City Sunday Morning.

Herbert Kettler and Miss Lily Caldwell were quietly married in marriage Sunday morning at Union City, Tenn., Rev. W. B. Cunningham officiating. Miss Caldwell is the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. W. Caldwell, south of town. She is an intelligent young lady, in her 22nd year, and has been teaching in Mississippi county, Mo., right across from Hickman for past three years.

Herbert Kettler, age 28, is the son of Mrs. John Kettler, of Paducah. He has been in Hickman for the past four years, and is employed by the A. B. Smith Lumber Co. at Bondurant, Ky. Mr. and Mrs. Kettler will make their home in Hickman.

The Courier extends congratulations.

Business may be "about as usual" at Jones' Eatmore Bakery—supplying many towns of West Kentucky and Tennessee—where the weekly average runs over 10,000 loaves a week; but even then, this plant is turning out more bread than any shop in this end of the state. With almost automatic equipment, which makes it both sanitary and modern, the Jones bakery is doing the same work with master Baker Myers and a helper that would require eight hands in the old-fashioned "hand" bakery. Hickman needs a few more enterprises like Jones bakery—and incidentally, more Percy Jones.

Mrs. Grace Mooney has returned from a visit with her sister, Mrs. John Grissom and Miss Harriet Simmons, at East Prairie, Mo.

Courier, 3 months, 40c.

FORMER CITIZEN.

Mrs. Julia Powell Dies at Lakewood, Fla. Left Here 1904.

The remains of Mrs. Julia Powell, who died at Lakewood, Fla., were brought back to Hickman for burial, interment being held at the city cemetery Friday afternoon.

Deceased was the widow of W. D. Powell, of the firm of Powell Bros., who were grocery and hardware merchants here a good many years ago. She was a Miss Bluford, being a daughter of a tavern keeper here in the early days of Hickman. Deceased was close to 80 years old.

She left here in 1904, going to Lakewood, where she made her home. Previous to her departure for Florida she made her home at Fulton with her niece, Mrs. Price Bennett and Mrs. Georgia Talfer, which are the only near relatives surviving her.

Mrs. Powell's death was due to creeping paralysis.

Farmers throughout the United States paid for mowers in 1918 prices that were 72 per cent above those of 1914, when the war began, and similarly above the former prices of other articles as follows: Harrows, 126 per cent; plows, 90 per cent; tedders, 81 per cent; axes, 95 per cent; chains, 76 per cent; corn knives, 97 per cent; cream separators, 50 per cent; hoes, 78 per cent; 10-gallon milk cans, 123 per cent; milk pails, 104 per cent; pitchforks, 85 per cent; scythes 60 per cent; shovels, 92 per cent. So reports the Bureau of Crop Estimates.

Syd. L. Dodds, of the progressive and prosperous city of Clarkdale, Miss., came up the first of the week on business.

ATTENTION! Sick Women

To do your duty during these trying times your health should be your first consideration. These two women tell how they found health.

Hellam, Pa.—"I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for female troubles and a displacement. I felt all rundown and was very weak. I had been treated by a physician without results, so decided to give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial, and felt better right away. I am keeping house since last April and doing all my housework, where before I was unable to do any work. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is certainly the best medicine a woman can take when in this condition. I give you permission to publish this letter."—Mrs. E. R. CRUMMING, R. No. 1, Hellam, Pa.

Lowell, Mich.—"I suffered from cramps and dragging down pains, was irregular and had female weakness and displacement. I began to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound which gave me relief at once and restored my health. I should like to recommend Lydia E. Pinkham's remedies to all suffering women who are troubled in a similar way."—Mrs. ELISE HEIM, R. No. 6, Box 83, Lowell, Mich.

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Splendid quality 40 inch Georgette in the new wanted shades
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If you are to trim your new garments in buttons, come to this store and you will find the buttons you are looking for.

RIBBONS

We have what you want in Ribbons, all colors and widths.

Wonderful Values in Sale of Suits and Coats!

Every garment marked in plain figures. You save 20 to 50 per cent. on your Suit or Coat. Don't delay—come now



Oxfords

Our Shoe Department is complete. We are prepared to shoe the whole family in new Spring, durable, solid leather Oxfords at our usual low price.

SPECIAL, Ladies' Black Kid high heel lace Oxfords \$5.50 values, at \$3.95

200 Pairs Ladies' Slippers on the Bargain Counter a Pair, \$2.48




Skirts

Extra---Special

Silk Poplin Skirts, all colors, size 25 to 30 waist measure \$5 val. at **\$3.95**

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The live model Corset sold at this store. A complete stock carried — a 11 sizes and styles at \$1.50 up.



WHITE GOODS	
White and Solid Color Voiles, all new shades, Special, a Yard	50c
Organdie in the New Shades and White, a Yard	50c
36 inch Middy Cloth, 50 cent values, a Yard	40c
Colatea, in White, Stripes and Solid Colors, 50 cent values, a yard	40c
Good Quality Linen Finished Suiting, a yard	35c

HOSIERY	
Ladies' Lisle Thread Hose in Brown, Black and White, guaranteed to give service, a pair	35c to 50c
Cotton Ribbed Hose in Black and White	20c to 35c
Children's Silk Lisle Hose in Black, Brown and White, a pair	50c
Men's Seamless Hose in Black, White, Pear, Navy and Brown, special a pair	20c

BE SURE TO READ OUR AD NEXT WEEK!

BURNING THE STUMP.

The cabin in the clearing, in the middle West some fifty years ago, was a familiar and cheering sight to the summer traveler along the highways of the timber lands.

Smoke curling from the chimney, the cow tethered in the grass, the sheep grazing on the hill, the horse looking from the stable, the chickens feeding in the yard, pigeons wheeling overhead, the cherokee roses around the window, the hollyhocks along the fence, the lilacs beside the well, where the tall sweep brought up the brimming bucket, and the open door, then which the open dressers presented all the hospitable code of the friendly ethics common on the country road, made a picture on the retina to be hung on memory's walls as a joy forever.

In such a home lived a young farmer and his wife with their two boys four and six years of age. In the garden stood the stump of a big sycamore tree,

which had in its top a depression partly filled with leaves. While playing the younger lad climbed on it and stepped into the hollow place. Instantly he screamed in terror, trying to get out, calling for help, stretching his hands pitifully. The other one ran to his aid and scrambled in to lift him out, but alas, he was caught also in the terrible trap, for that remnant of the tree round which the wild morning glories climbed and on which the robin sang at dawn was a nest of rattlesnakes.

When the father ran from the meadow and drew them out, the curly haired darlings were moaning with agony and writhing with convulsions, and soon while both parents bent above them on the porch, weeping and praying they closed their eyes in death and their sweet spirits left the swollen and distorted bodies to enter another world. Next day the two little graves were dug under the elm tree and the sad-hearted couple burned that stump down to its roots and covered the ashes with

THIS BEAUTIFUL HOME FOR SALE.



This is a modern residence; has city water and light, 9 large rooms, well located, six large lots, young orchard, garage, smoke-house, hen-house, cow-barn, good garden, etc. No city taxes to pay. Will sell at a bargain, or exchange for farm property. See Alex or Faris Naifeh.

earth to hide it forever.

Here is a homely parable. The ill-fated liquor traffic in our town and county is the serpent in the stump—the citizenship feels the sting of its poisonous fangs, but we do not kill. It goes on and on—year after year—court after court. Wickedness of men and weakness of law permit this breeder of violence to twine its tendrils about the legal Gibraltar of a "reasonable doubt," and bloom and flourish where public sentiment condemns and reason proclaims its guilt. The new federal law, effective after next month, will be of little benefit unless our minor courts can pave the way for sinking their robes of this red stained pestilence—of burning the stump. Have we not seen enough of crime and sorrow from this old stump? Are we not surfeited with seeing the Lords of Kentucky stills fed fat, rolling in wealth, and their jeweled dames seeking the

Riviera in swift yachts to watch the blue ocean flash and flow—that they dwell in stately mansions on select boulevards and have winter homes amid the flex and orange trees—while their victims here and everywhere face the silent cooped in wheeling raggedness, haunted by poverty and lost hope? Shall we ever see the time when strict justice holds full sway, perjury becomes a crime and the state is given an even break at the frailest of doubts?

Piles Cured in 6 to 14 Days
Druggists refund money if FAZO OINTMENT fails to cure itching, blood, bleeding or protruding Piles. Instantly relieves itching Piles, and you can get restful sleep after the first application. Price 6c.

The yellowing of wheat in certain parts of Illinois, Indiana and Ohio, together with a loss of vigor in the plant, are reported due to an affection hitherto unknown in this country. It is due to fungus which attacks the roots of the plant. In Australia it is known as "take-all" and in France as "foot-rot."

Wanted: Housekeeper for general house work and care for children. Good home for the right party. Write or see Harry Wiseman, Hickman, Ky, etc.

No Worms in a Healthy Child
All children troubled with worms have an unhealthy color, which indicates poor blood, and as a rule, there is more or less stomach disturbance. GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC given regularly for two or three weeks will enrich the blood, improve the digestion, and act as a General Strengthening Tonic to the whole system. Nature will then throw off or dispel the worms, and the child will be in perfect health. Pleasant to take. 6c per bottle.

COUNTY BOOKS O. K.

Alvin Steger, Ass't State Inspector and Examiner, was here the first of the week going over the books our county officials. Upon completion of the audit, he found all accounts O. K. and the books in fine shape.

It might also be added that Mr. Steger is a candidate for Clerk of the Court of Appeals, subject to the Democratic primary. He hails from Owen county and impresses us as a gentleman of the highest character; every way worthy and well qualified for the office he seeks.

Colds Cause Grip and Influenza
LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE Tablets remove the cause. There is only one "Bromo Quinine." E. W. GROVE'S signature on box. 30c.

Miss Mary Everett has accepted a position as bookkeeper with the Hickman Hardware Co., succeeding Miss Lela Mary Douglass.

Portraits enlarged. "Any kind of work." Work guaranteed. Prices right. Write or see H. C. Poyner, agent, Hickman, Ky. 5-23p.

We understand Mose Barkett has purchased a store at Wichita Falls, Texas, and will probably make his home in that city.

Leslie George reports the arrival of a fine girl at his home last Sunday. Little Miss George weighs 10½ pounds.

A GAME OF HEARTS.

A 3-act comedy-drama, "A Game of Hearts," will be staged at Sylvan Shade school house Thursday, May 15, by the pupils of Sylvan Shade High School, beginning at 8:15, under the direction of Mrs. Ellis Dobson. Don't miss it.

R. Loeb was here Saturday from Paducah looking over the city with a view of establishing a branch dry goods and clothing house here. He liked the lay-out and is now negotiating for a building on Clinton street. This firm has a store at Clinton, but Mr. Loeb is connected with a wholesale firm at Paducah.

Harriette Upshaw, one of the best known colored women of this city, suffered a stroke of paralysis one day last week while doing a washing, and was unable to speak for a while. Her condition is somewhat improved.

Homer M. Reid, of Ordway, Colorado, left last week for eastern Kentucky points and West Virginia, after a visit with relatives here.

Two years ago, the 27th of this month, a tornado visited this section with disastrous effect, leaving death and destruction in its wake.

For thread, needles, pins, buttons, elastic and lots of other things in notions see Battersworth's.

School supplies at Battersworth's.

Hampshire Hogs



Exalted Lad's O. K. 60709 is at the head of my herd. His brother sold for \$1000.00 at 6 months old.

His Sire, Exalted Lad, 36439, was Grand Champion Illinois State Fair, 1917 and 1918, also was 2nd place National Swine Show, Cedar Rapids, Iowa, 1918.

His Pigs are extra fine.

I am also offering grandsons and granddaughters of—Look-out 7499, Undeclared Grand Champion; General Allen 1061, Grand Champion 11 State Fairs; Captain Silko 24503, Grand Champion several State Fairs, also International Live Stock Show, Chicago.

General Wickware 26879, Grand Champion; Wickware Favorite 37245, Grand Champion.

If you want Quality, I have it.

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Chas. B. Quinn to R. B. Secares, 1 acre, Cason land, \$900.

H. H. Harding to Leonard Harding, 12 foot strip of land for roadway, \$100, etc.

Mrs. O. B. Mooney to J. J. Johnson, lot in Fulton, \$25.

W. L. Hurt to H. H. Gore, lot in W. S. Ellison Ad. \$250.

Miss Frankie Reid to Mrs. George Annie Swift, 2 lots in West Hickman, \$950.

F. S. Moore to Thos. S. Mooney, lot in West Hickman, \$25.

A. A. Farris to Mrs. J. R. Wright, lot in Old Hickman, \$2500.

H. J. French to A. A. Farris, 160 acres in Roper district, \$20,000.

Miss Frankie Reid to W. K. Laid, lot in West Hickman, \$2500.

E. A. Branton to J. O. Gadsby, 9 foot strip of land on east side of McC. land, \$50.

T. R. Meadows to L. C. Tomlinson, 3 lots Fulton, \$170.

Jeff Dowell to L. C. Tomlinson, 5 lots \$125.

J. J. House to Mrs. Jennette Wirt, lot in Fulton, \$500.

Guy L. Freeman to T. K. Williams, lot in Fulton, \$500.

H. L. Williams to Albert Trou, lot in Fulton, \$500.

Joe Broadwater to J. M. Atherton, lot \$100.

J. P. Tomlinson to J. M. Atherton, 2 lots Rice Ad. \$150.

E. C. Rice to D. G. McMillin, lot, \$125.

T. D. Ryan to Manly O. Young, lot High Ad. Fulton, \$200.

T. J. Henderson to Manly O. Young, 2 lots High Ad. \$1400.

Alex. Naffish to A. S. and W. S. Barker, lot 222 in West Hickman, \$2000.

Ind. League to S. D. Stenbridge, 121 lots in League Ad. \$2000.

Lee B. Rucker to Mrs. Bertie Callahan, 2 lots in High Ad. Fulton, \$1000.

Henry Pollock to S. T. Matthews, 92 acres, \$1200.

N. Jack Bradshaw to E. C. Bradshaw 14 interest in 78 acres, \$200.

Jas. T. Roberts to wife, Georgia M. Roberts, 1.5 interest in Thos. J. Roberts place, 336 acres on Bayou de Chien, \$1.

S. T. Matthews to M. L. and Mason Barnes, 92 acres, \$1400.

UGH! CALOMEL MAKES YOU DEATHLY SICK

Stop using dangerous drug before it salivates you!
It's horrible!

You're bilious, sluggish, constipated and believe you need vile, dangerous calomel to stir your liver and clean your bowels.

Here's my guarantee! Ask your druggist for a bottle of Dodson's Liver Tonic and take a spoonful tonight. If it don't start your liver and straighten you right up better then calomel and without griping or making you sick I want you to go back to the store and get your money.

Take calomel today and tomorrow you will feel weak and sick and nauseated. Don't lose a day's work. Take a spoonful of harmless, vegetable Dodson's Liver Tonic tonight and wake up feeling great. It's perfectly harmless so give it to your children any time. It can't salivate, so let them eat anything afterwards.

NEXT MEETING LOVELACEVILLE.

The Southwest Kentucky Association of Odd Fellows had a big blow-out at Bardwell last week by way of celebrating the tenth anniversary of the order. They will meet next year at Lovelaceville.

The officers elected to serve this year are Van Dorn Craig, of Clinton, president; Mr. Wyatt, of Kevill, vice president; Jack Wyman, of Lovelaceville, secretary and treasurer.

LEMONS WHITEN AND BEAUTIFY THE SKIN

Make this beauty lotion cheaply for your face, neck, arms and hands.

At the cost of a small jar of ordinary cold cream one can prepare a full quart of the most wonderful lemon skin softener and complexion beautifier, by squeezing the juice of two fresh lemons into a bottle containing three ounces of orchard white. Care should be taken to strain the juice through a fine cloth so no lemon pulp gets in, then this lotion will keep fresh for months. Every woman knows that lemon juice is used to bleach and remove such blemishes as freckles, sallowness and tan and is the ideal skin softener, whitener and beautifier.

Just try it! Get three ounces of orchard white from any drug store and two lemons from the grocer and make up a quart pint of this sweetly fragrant lemon lotion and massage it daily into the face, neck, arms and hands. It is marvelous to smoothen rough, red hands.

"A Rival by Request," having been successfully staged at Union City and reaching out for additional laurels, was played at Hickman Friday night before a fair house by a troupe of talented young folks. It was even more successful than "Rebecca's Triumph," played by Union City students some years back. A larger house could have been expected if more publicity had been given. The dramatic persons follows: Gerald Caldwell, Jewett Wheeler, Wallace Garrigan, Walton Crenshaw, Erle Waddell, Richard Alexander, and Misses Helen Dahnke, Nellie Milner, Naldren Jordan, Mary H. Turner and Mattie B. Hopper.

For Sale: My residence on Drunken Road, also a bottom farm.—W. B. Phelps.

HOW OUR DOLLARS TIPPED THE SCALE OF ARMED POWER

AMERICAN LIBERTY BONDS DID
THE TRICK AND THEIR DUTY
IS NOT ENDED.

MUCH YET TO BE DONE

Obligation of Decent Americans is to
Furnish More Dollars to
Finish the Job.

When the American dollars, mobilized by means of the Liberty Bonds, got into action they played a big part in winning the war.

On the firing line appeared 2,000,000 Yanks in about as short a time as ever an army was put together.

These same bonds and dollars put a great American merchant marine on the waters, and that merchant fleet is available now that peace has come. These same bonds helped the allied nations to draw on our funds to the tune of \$7,000,000,000 to carry on the fight.

In brief, these bonds and dollars tipped the balance of military power so effectively that the one thing for the Germans to do was surrender. And the job of these bonds and dollars is by no means completed, the task is unfinished. The duty of the dollar has not yet been completed by a long way. Furthermore, the obligations of the decent American citizen to furnish that dollar has just been removed. It is still his duty, just as it was last fall and last spring.

In Europe we must do our part of the work toward restoring law, order and a real peace. Somehow or another we must help Russia back to sanity or be forever menaced by a giant madman, a country of 170,000,000 souls. The starving in Belgium and north France must be fed, industry must be restored, help given. It may be possible that the broken and beaten German must be given some sort of assistance. In all these things appear some of the reasons for the Victory Liberty Loan.

But most important it is that we look for our own commercial interests in the future. We must see that at home and abroad, our own interests are protected. That is the thing that most nearly concerns all of us whether we be laborer or capitalist, farmer or professional man. Because of these things the man who looks at the Fifth Loan in a spirit of resistance is foolish. The bonds have done much, but there is still work for them to do. For our part it is a question of standing by our duty in order that the country may stand by its duty. Not until normal conditions have been restored will it be possible for us to feel that "bond issues are foolishness."

LUTHERANS IN A RALLY

Entire Church is Urged to Give Full Support to the Victory Loan.

Members of the National Lutheran Council and every pastor of the Lutheran church in the United States is urged to respond to the government's call in the Victory Liberty Loan in a special message that has just been sent out to the church by H. G. Stubb, president of the national council.

"The Victory Loan is at hand," he states in the message. "Our government has urged the people of the country to do their best in order to reach the goal, as in all former Liberty Loan drives. According to communications from government officials, we know that our Lutheran church has done its share in raising every former Liberty Loan, and our church will not hold back when the call for the Victory Loan comes to its members. "As president of the National Lutheran Council, consisting of a large majority of the Lutheran bodies, I urge all those who belong to the council to do what they can. Every pastor and every member of every synod and congregation should take part. The government would not have issued this call if it were not necessary. But the great reconstruction work and the assistance needed by the people of Europe require that we do as much as we possibly can."

SOME VICTORY 'DON'TS'

Don't let a wounded soldier hear you say that you "sacrificed" by selling a Liberty Bond below par. He knows what sacrifice is. He also knows that Uncle Sam will pay par on every promise when that promise matures.

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PROSPERITY FOR POSTERITY.
THIS IS THE MESSAGE OF THE VICTORY LIBERTY LOAN.

War helped win the war, it will help us to enjoy to the fullest the advantages of victory and peace.

It is better—a Tax Receipt or a Promise to Pay Principal and Interest.

Reasons!

Why you should use Cardui, the woman's tonic, for your troubles, have been shown in thousands of letters from actual users of this medicine, who speak from personal experience. "If the results obtained by other women for so many years have been so uniformly good, why not give Cardui a trial?"

Take

CARDUI

The Woman's Tonic

Mrs. Mary J. Irvin, of Cullen, Va., writes: "About 11 years ago, I suffered untold misery with female trouble, bearing-down pains, headache, numbness... I would go for three weeks almost bent double... My husband went to Dr. for Cardui... After taking about two bottles I began going around and when I took three bottles I could do all my work." E-90

JOE HOMRA DEAD.

A message was received here Friday announcing the death of Joe Homra, who died Thursday at Memphis, Tenn., after an illness of several months.

Mr. Homra formerly resided in this city and will be remembered by many.

SEED CORN FOR SALE.

Little St. Charles Red Cob, Seed Corn, raised in river bottom just across the river from Hickman. Price \$3 per bushel.—Bryant & Polhmann, Hickman, Ky. 5-Sc.

An oil company, of Fulton, Ky., has leased a lot of land in Stewart county, Tenn., and will drill for oil. Fulton has some neat sports.

INSURE YOUR Live Stock and Grain Against Fire and Lightning

They are worth too much now to take the risk.
Our rates are reasonable. See

Helm & Amberg

1001 ARTICLES.

This store carries a varied stock—articles that are needed every day by all of the human family, and we give below just a few of the items to be found in stock:

Coffee
Picture frames
Toy Wagons
Tinware
Cigars
Flat Irons
Sole Leather
Canvas Gloves
Pencils
Clothes Lines
Hinges
Crescent Saws
Lanterns
Shelf Hardware
Alarm Clocks
Brooms
Mops
Lubricating Oils
Turpentine
Kitchen Utensils

Mattresses
Furniture
Paints
Linseed Oil
Batteries
Cutlery
Ammunition
Tools, all kinds
Tobacco
Glass
Alabaster
Brushes
Ropes
Stoves
Nails
Shovels
Axes
Light Globes
Galvanized Ware
Building Paper
Back Bands

And so on. If you don't see what you want in this list—come to the store; we likely have it. PRICES RIGHT.

T. A. STARK & COMPANY.

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Marble and Granite Monuments

CURBING, STONE WORK OF ALL KINDS, IRON FENCING.

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GENERAL AND MASONRY CONTRACTOR

Special attention given to Brickwork, Concrete, Plaster, Tile-Setting and Stucco Work. General Construction of all kinds. First class work the first and only consideration. Let me make you an estimate.

RHEUMATISM CURED BY "NUMBER 40" OR MONEY BACK

Consult Cowgill's Drug Store. Frank Staser, Newburg, Ind., states: "I suffered with rheumatism for several years and tried numerous remedies with little or no benefit. Mendonhall's Number 40 was recommended to me and I used in all six bottles and am entirely cured. I certainly recommend it to all rheumatic sufferers."

We have instructed Cowgill's Drug Store to issue a guarantee with three bottles of "Number 40" and if you are not cured or satisfied, your money will be cheerfully refunded.—J. C. Mendonhall, 40 years a druggist.

"Number 40" is employed in rheumatism, sciatica, blood poison, constipation, liver and stomach troubles.

Fulton county's quota of Victory Bonds was \$251,200. Up to Saturday night \$200,000 had been sold. The quota for the west end of the county, including Hickman and adjacent territory, was sold in one day.

If you need anything from any of the stores that do not deliver, remember that our car will be coming your way and we will be glad to bring it up for you.—Bondurant Bros.

BEST GROCERIES Phone 4—C. H. Moore

McFarland Coal Co.

East Hickman Yard—south of depot
West Hickman Yard—Hale's Gin Yard

Dealers in the well known brands of coal

Bon Air, Cumberland Block Tradewater Lump

The best coal produced in West Kentucky. And Pyrolite Nut, the best cook coal on the market. If you want the best in any kind of coal, call phone No. 58.

Coal is Cash on Delivery



Hickman Lodge No. 761, F. & A. M., meets in regular communication on the second and fourth Monday nights in each month. Visiting brothers always welcome.—H. W. Whipple, Master, W. E. Hennenberg, Sec'y.

Elm Camp No. 3, Woodmen of the World, meets every Second and Fourth Tuesday evenings at 7:30, at their hall in the old city hall building. Visiting Woodmen cordially invited.—Dick Henry, Consul Commander, J. C. Ellison, Clerk.

Hickman Chapter No. 49, R. A. M., meets in stated convocation on the third Monday night of each month. Visiting companions are extended a cordial welcome.—J. C. Sexton, H. P., W. C. Speer, Sec'y.

Hickman Lodge No. 1294 B. P. O. Elks meets first and third Wednesdays at Elks Home.
D. P. Lebowitz, Exalted Ruler,
S. D. Stenbridge, Secretary.

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